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**LIBERAL PARTY'S  
FUTURE.**

**SEPARATE POLITICAL  
ENTITY.**

**NO FUSION WITH LABOUR  
ADVOCATED.**

**PACT RUMOURS DIE.**

London, July 3.  
The recent rumours regarding the possibility of a fusion between the Labour and Liberal parties are answered in a manifesto of the Executive Committee of the National Liberal Federation which will be discussed at the meeting of the Council of the Federation at Torquay next month.

The manifesto, which has been prepared to afford guidance to candidates and others, deals at length with the tariff question and declares that there is no hope of economic recovery unless the system of open markets upon which the very existence of the nation depends is maintained.

Britain's true policy, it adds, is to take the lead in co-operation with other Free Trade or low tariff countries in a movement towards a general reduction of tariffs, which is as necessary for world peace and prosperity as the general reduction of armaments.

**The Party's Future.**

It advocates a vigorous policy of Empire development by means other than tariffs, and outlines proposed measures for industrial re-organisation, the development of agriculture and a revision of the system of unemployment relief.

Regarding co-operation with Labour, the manifesto gives the terms of a resolution to be put forward for discussion at Torquay: "That while approving of the conditions under which the leader of the Liberal Parliamentary Party has met the Prime Minister for consultation upon national questions, the Council re-affirms the complete independence of the Liberal Party and renews its insistence upon its maintenance as a separate political entity and parliamentary force."—*British Wireless*.

**The Bromley Election.**

London, Sept. 3.  
"Shock for Party Politicians," "Surprising Vote for Redwood," "Fall of Conservative Majority," are the headings of the *Evening Standard*, the Beaverbrook organ, which indicate the important effect the Bromley result is likely to have on the general political situation.

The *Evening Standard* congratulates Lord Rothermere on the immense support he received in a consistently Tory division, where he had the courage and vision to put the Empire Trade issue to the test.

Mr. Redwood, the Empire Trade candidate, interviewed after the poll said "we have lighted a fire that can never die out in this country."

**Empire Traders Delighted.**

The *Evening News*, the Rothermere organ, congratulates Mr. Redwood on his remarkable achievement in "one of the sternest tasks ever undertaken by a Parliamentary candidate."

The Star, the Liberal mouthpiece, declares that the Empire Free Trade party is so delighted with Mr. Redwood's poll that they intend to fight all the official Conservative candidates in future bye-elections.

The Rt. Hon. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chairman of the Conservative Party, telegraphed Mr. E. T. Campbell congratulating him on his "courage, steadfastness, and well-earned triumph," adding "Bromley Conservatives demonstrated sound good sense, as well as loyalty."—*Reuter's American Service*.

**AMBULANCE IN AN  
ACCIDENT.**

**HITS OVERHANGING BRANCH  
OF A TREE.**

**OCCUPANTS INJURED.**

One of the ambulances attached to the Central Fire Station is now parked in the Station yard with the top of the body of the car badly smashed. This is the result of an accident which occurred yesterday evening when the ambulance was conveying a patient from Shaukiwan to the Government Civil Hospital.

It appears that when the ambulance was in Upper Albert Road on its way to the G.C.H. the top part of the body of the car came into contact with a thick overhanging fork of a tree on one side of the road. The wooden structure was smashed to pieces, together with the glass windows of the ambulance.

Although some of the occupants were cut by the breaking glass, no serious injuries were sustained. The patient was unconscious when taken into the ambulance at Shaukiwan and was still unconscious when the mishap occurred. One of the two friends of the patient was cut and received treatment at the G.C.H., but was not detained. The driver and one of the attendants of the ambulance also received superficial injuries.

The ambulance was able to continue on its way after the mishap, and after taking the patient to the G.C.H., returned to the Central Fire Station at about 10 p.m. providing a sorry contrast to the red-cross car which left the Station sick and span barely four hours before.

**THE GOVERNMENT &  
SOCIALISM.**

**MUST BE OF SLOW GROWTH  
TO LAST.**

London, Sept. 3.  
During his speech at the Trade Union Congress at Nottingham, in which he was interrupted by about thirty intruders, apparently Communists, Mr. J. R. Clynes, the Home Secretary, said Socialists could only be made by argument and example. It was in that spirit that the Government had pursued its course, and they looked to the immediate future and the remote time ahead with the knowledge that the things that were to last must be things of slow growth.

Referring to the Government's intention of reversing the Trades Disputes Act, Mr. Clynes said it was the purpose of the present Government to give back to the Trade Unions the freedom of which they were deprived by the Parliamentary action of their opponents.—*British Wireless*.

**WILL CARRIED OUT BY  
FATE.**

**VAN LEAR BLACK'S WISH  
FOR SEA BURIAL.**

Baltimore, Sept. 3.

Mr. Van Lear Black, who was drowned recently when he fell overboard from his yacht, left several millions. He bequeathed \$100,000 to Miss Alice Bone, his secretary in England. Miss Bone is the daughter of Mr. James Bone, London editor of the *Manchester Guardian*, who also benefits. The residue of his estate is divided among his widow and children.

There is a curious coincidence in view of the fact that he was drowned, his will directing that he should be buried at sea.—*Reuter's American Service*.

**SOUTH OF ENGLAND V.  
AUSTRALIA.**

**GOOD START MADE BY THE  
ENGLISH TEAM.**

London, Sept. 3.

The match started at Folkestone to-day between a South of England eleven and the Australians. England batting first and carrying their score to 249 for five wickets before play ended for the day. Hammond scored 54 and Wyatt, captain of the fast Test team, 61.—*Reuter's American Service*.

The body of a Japanese, named I. Kuta, who was reported to the Police at 11 o'clock yesterday morning as being missing, was found floating in the harbour off the Tsimshatsui Pier last night and removed to the public mortuary. The feet were tied together with a small towel and it is suspected that the man committed suicide.

**OPIUM SEIZED ON  
MOTOR BOAT.**

**BIG HAUL OF OVER  
800 TAELS.**

**A CHINESE REVENUE OFFICER  
AMONG DEFENDANTS.**

**SAYS WAS CHASING.**

Mention was made before Mr. Lindsell, at the Central Police Court, this morning, of a huge seizure of illicit opium which was made by Revenue Officer Powell in the harbour early yesterday morning, when seven men were arrested, including a Chinese Revenue Officer.

Mr. Horace Lo was for the fourth defendant, who was described as the coxswain of a motor boat.

In applying for a remand, R. O. Powell informed his Worship that, acting on information, he laid in wait in a sampan in the junk anchorage at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, when he saw a sampan leaving the s.s. Sui Tai at the Macao Wharf in Wing Lok Street. The official party made towards the sampan, but, before they were able to reach it, a motor boat went alongside and began to tow it towards Yaumati.

Motor Boat Breaks Down.

Before it had left the anchorage, the engine of the motor boat broke down and the Revenue Officer's were able to overtake it. On boarding, two packages of opium were found on the motor boat, on which were the seven defendants. There was nobody on the sampan.

His Worship:—"I understand the first defendant is one of your own men?"

R. O. Powell:—"Yes, your Worship. I allege that they had no intention of bringing the opium back to the office."

His Worship:—"How far had they gone in the northerly direction before you came up?"

R. O. Powell:—"I should say anywhere from 150 to 200 yards through the junk anchorage."

**A Second Search.**

Continuing, the officer said that the first defendant was C.R.O. No. 62 and when the party boarded the motor boat he told them so. He was asked if he had gone out with the knowledge of any European officer, but the defendant replied in the negative. All defendants were then taken to the Imports and Exports Office, where they were asked if there was any more opium on the boat. They denied the presence of any further contraband, but, on a second search, another 119 taels were found.

His Worship:—"The fourth defendant, I understand, is the coxswain of the motor boat, the motor boat engaged by the first defendant?"

R. O. Powell:—"All we want is what instructions he got from the other people—where he was going at the time."

His Worship:—"Didn't he say where he was going?"

R. O. Powell:—"Yes."

**"Wild Statements."**

His Worship:—"Then how can you charge him with possession?"

R. O. Powell:—"He was in charge of the motor boat. We allege that the whole party knew each other and they had been out before as a party."

His Worship:—"You must not make these wild statements which you cannot prove. What's the amount of prepared opium?"

R. O. Powell:—"334 taels of prepared opium and 36 taels of Persian raw opium."

**Defendants' Stories.**

The charge was then put to the defendants, the first stating that he had been chasing the sampan and had seized the opium during the course of his duties. The second, third, fifth, sixth and seventh defendants all said they had acted as informers to the first defendant.

His Worship:—"Five informers for one catch! Don't tell such lies. What's the good of lying like that?"

The fourth defendant, for whom Mr. Lo applied for small bail, was granted bail in the sum of \$250.

The case was adjourned till Monday morning.

**COSTES PROMOTED  
TO MAJOR.**

**SOUVENIR HUNTERS RIP THE  
PLANE FUSELAGE.**

**NO SERIOUS DAMAGE.**

New York Sept. 3.  
Souvenir hunters have ripped off a piece of the fuselage of Costes' plane and the damage may prevent the fliers from winning Colonel Easterwood's prize of \$5,000.—*Reuter's American Service*.

New York, Later.  
An examination of the "Question Mark" shows that the souvenir hunters have not seriously damaged the fabric and there is now little doubt that Costes will proceed to Dallas to win the \$5,000 prize. Costes and Bellonte will be guests of President Hoover at a luncheon on Monday.—*Reuter's American Service*.

Paris, Sept. 3.  
Intense enthusiasm has been aroused throughout the country by the feat of Costes and Bellonte. Provincial towns, like the capital,

**INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS  
AT SHANGHAI.**

Weather May Interfere With  
To-day's Game.

**S.R.C. TEAM CHOSEN.**

Shanghai, Sept. 4.  
The Interport lawn bowls teams from Hongkong and Hankow are down to play their first game to-day, when they meet the Shanghai Recreation Club.

Some rain fell yesterday, and it does not seem particularly likely that to-day's fixture will take place. However, there is often room for optimism in regard to Shanghai's weather. In any event, it is hoped the visitors will have the opportunity for some practice.

The rink chosen to represent Shanghai Recreation Club against Hongkong is as follows:—Messrs. T. G. Main (skip), S. Shirvington, A. J. Brown, and W. T. Manley.

The Hongkong team is staying at the Palace Hotel.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

**COSTES AND BELLONTE.**

Costes and Bellonte had a tumultuous welcome. The air was full of planes, and a crowd of 25,000 surrounded the tired airmen, slapping their backs and shaking their hands.

They were rescued by two mechanics, who carried them pick-a-back to the hangar, where they briefly broadcast, speaking in French.

Costes related how they struck dirty weather after passing Ireland, and were forced to fly higher than they wished. Later, they descended to a low pressure area, and found a tail wind, but subsequently the weather worsened.

Costes and Bellonte will fly to Dallas, Texas, on September 4, and thus qualify for the \$5,000 prize recently offered by the millionaire, Colonel W. E. Easterwood.—*Reuter's American Service*.

**Washington, Sept. 3.**

President Hoover has telephoned to President Doumergue:

"France has established a glorious record. I hope that in the future many other of your citizens will come to us in this manner."—*Reuter's American Service*.

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**BAD SARDINES IN  
KOWLOON.**

**FOUR SHOPKEEPERS  
CHARGED.**

**GASES LET OUT AND TINS  
RE-SOLDERED.**

**NEARLY 5,000 TINS.**

Summons against four Chinese shop dealers who are charged with having sardines unfit for human consumption in their possession came up before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Mr. L. R. Andrews, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, while Senior Sanitary Inspector Taylor was the complainant.

The defendants were Lei Wu, Lee Sui-fai, Ho Leung and Ho Sit. The second defendant was not present in Court, but his nephew appeared on his behalf.

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Mr. Andrews, outlining the facts of the case, said he would first deal with the charge against the Lei Wu. On July 17, Inspector Taylor went to No. 16, Reclamation Street, third floor, and found a boy in charge of the floor and a large quantity of tins of sardines.

He noticed that the tins were blown and distended out of their proper shape, and, regarding the circumstances from a health point of view, he informed the Medical Officer.

**TINS RE-SOLDERED.**

The Medical Officer arrived and with Inspector Taylor made an examination of the floor and they found in all 3,200 tins of "Sea" brand sardines, all more or less in a blown condition and smelling offensively. They also found a certain quantity of equipment and they were informed that the boy was engaged to puncture the blown tins so as to free the poisonous gases inside and then, by means of wooden blocks, the blown tins were pressed into their proper shape again, re-soldered, cleaned and arranged, so as to give the appearance of perfectly normal tins.

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#### NAME OF PEKING TO BE RESTORED.

Peking, Sept. 3.  
Major Duncan Campbell, who reached England from Shanghai the middle of last month, is now unconscious in Folkestone Hospital.

It was reported this morning that he was losing strength, and his wife, who rushed from Scotland, reached the bedside yesterday.

Major Campbell was found unconscious in the seafarers' gardens at Folkestone, on Sunday morning last. The Police have vainly endeavoured to find the reason, but it is believed that Major Campbell was suddenly taken ill and collapsed.

Later.

Major Duncan Campbell died this morning without regaining consciousness.

#### Condition When Found.

When found in the public gardens at Folkestone he was in evening dress and had a swelling over the right ear and a slight cut. His clothes were soaked, and obviously he had lain all night long. Eight pounds sterling and a gold cigarette case were in his pockets and two valuable rings on his fingers. Nothing in his possession had been touched.

He had been staying at Folkestone alone.

He was taken to hospital, where he was pronounced to be suffering from cerebral hemorrhage. All efforts to restore him to consciousness were fruitless.

It transpires that he went to Folkestone on medical advice.—Reuter.

The late Major Campbell had been in Shanghai for about the past two years in connexion with the management and racing of greyhounds there. He went Home on account of ill-health, taking with him the best wishes of many friends. Major Duncan Eldor Campbell, D.S.O., was the eldest son of Captain Hon. Alexander Francis Henry Campbell, who is the son of the 3rd Earl Crawford. Major Campbell, who married the daughter of the 1st Lord Barnby, served in the European War with the Northumberland Hussars in France and Belgium in 1914-1915, and was afterwards on the Staff in France as D.A.Q.M.G.]

### CHINA & THE SILVER SLUMP.

#### INTEREST IN SALES BY INDIA.

Nanking, Sept. 3.

The Finance Minister stated today that China is continuing informal discussions with Britain regarding silver sales by India, and is cabling further instructions to the Chinese Minister in London on the subject.

The Chinese Minister recently pointed out to the British Government that China's purchasing power had been reduced and her commerce disrupted by the silver depreciation, with detriment to the trade and industry of countries trading with China. Reference was made to the difficulty of China meeting her gold obligations, introducing monetary reforms, and settling her arrears of debts. The hope was expressed that the Indian Government would withhold silver sales at low levels.—Reuter.

#### India's Sales.

Simla, Sept. 3.  
The Indian Government in a communiqué states that there is no foundation for a Shanghai report that the Government of India has negotiated the further sale of 40,000,000 ounces of silver with a Chinese banking corporation.—Reuter.

### CONSERVATIVES KEEP BROMLEY.

#### NARROW MAJORITY IN BY-ELECTION.

London, Sept. 3.  
The Bromley by-election resulted as follows:

Mr. E. T. Campbell (Conservative)	12,782
Mr. W. C. Fordham (Liberal)	11,176
Mr. V. C. Redwood (United Empire)	9,482
Mr. A. E. Ashworth (Labour)	5,942
Conservative Majority	1,606

"This does not mean any change in the political representation.—Reuter.

Extraordinary interest was taken in the by-election, due to the death of the Conservative member, Colonel James. The Liberals were very confident of victory, owing to the Conservative split, as Mr. Redwood was loudly championed by the Rothermere press, and Lord Rothermere himself as the founder of the United Empire Party, actively intervened on his behalf; while Lord Beaverbrook, leader of the Empire crusaders, whose press was silent as regards the election, recently wrote declaring that the decision to run a United Empire Party candidate imposed no obligation to support him on Lord Beaverbrook, while Mr. Campbell was not pledged to vote for Empire Free Trade, in the House of Commons irrespective of his leaders' decision. Mr. Campbell, the official Conservative candidate, said he believed in Empire Free Trade, but refused to be disloyal to Mr. Baldwin.

The figures at the last election were:

Lt.-Col. James (Con.)	25,449
Mr. W. G. Fordham (Lib.)	18,372
Mr. A. E. Ashworth (Lab.)	10,105
Conservative Maj.	7,077

### PILSUDSKI ACTS.

#### RUTHLESS TACTICS AGAINST PARLIAMENTARIANS.

Warsaw, Sept. 3.  
The woes of the Polish Deputies are increasing daily owing to Marshal Pilsudski's ruthless tactics.

His dissolving of Parliament on the last day of August meant that the Deputies lost their salaries due on September 1, and he has now cancelled their railway passes and had all the telephones in the Lower House party headquarters cut off.—Reuter.



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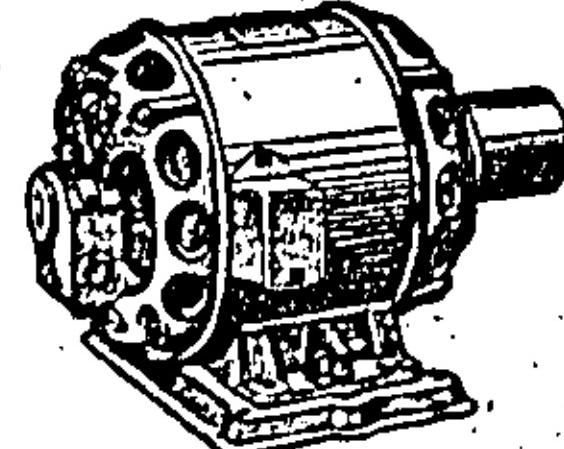
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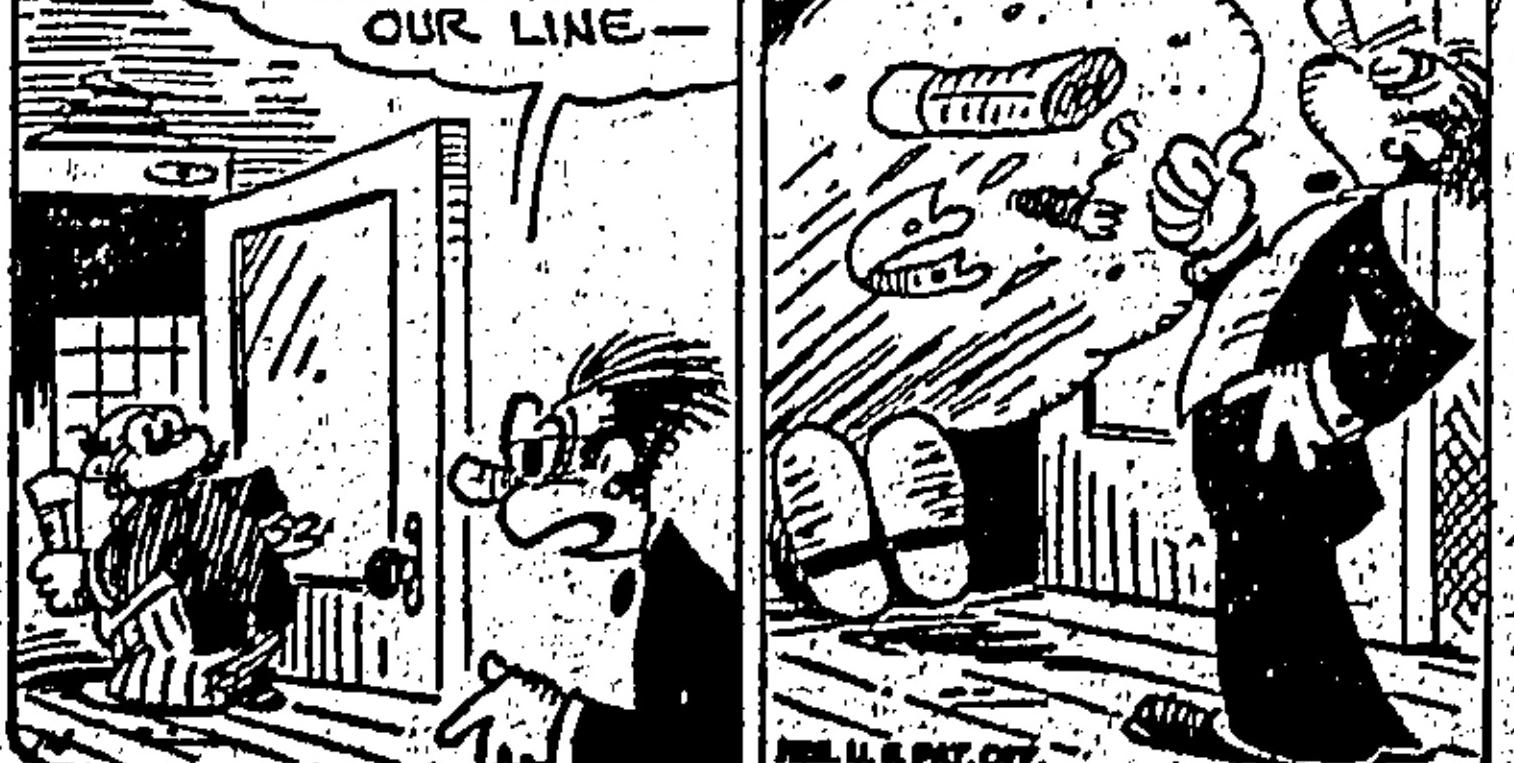
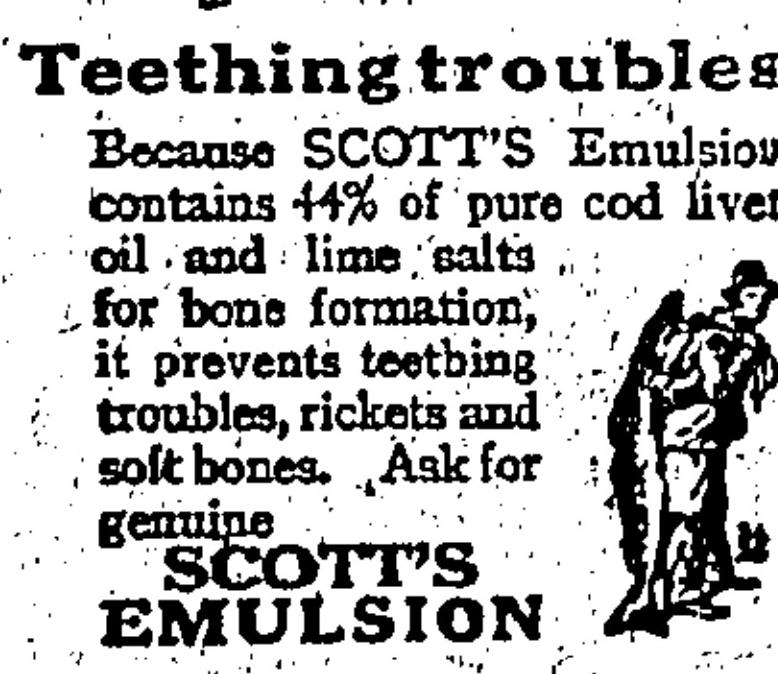
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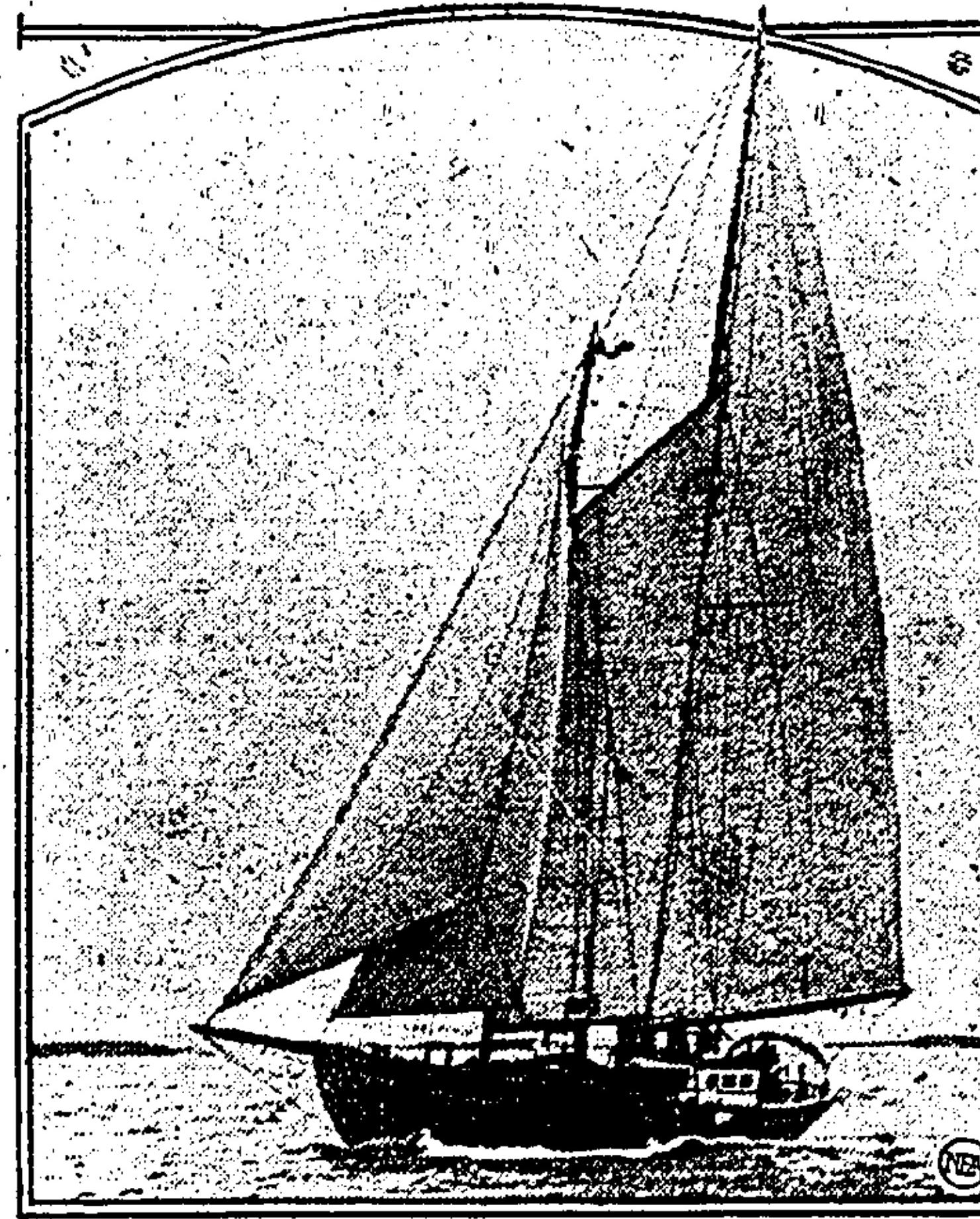
A very modern church is St. James, of Manhattan. Instead of trying to raise funds by donation drives, it staged an aerial circus at the New York City Airport at Flushing. Members of the choir did wing-walking and made parachute jumps.



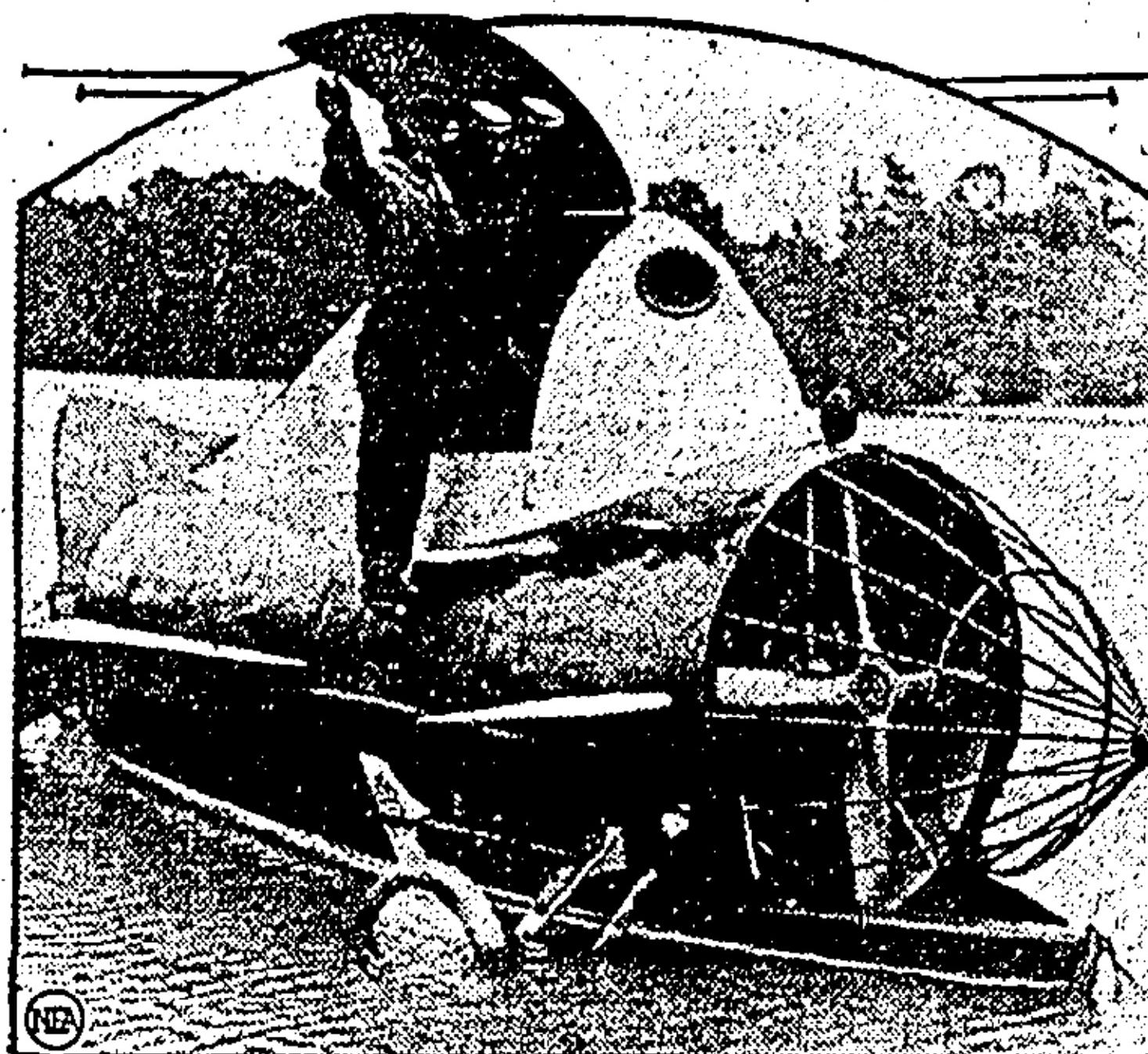
"Among those present" was this huge mastiff when John James Ellis, nephew of a former Lord Mayor of London, and Marjorie Isaac, prominent society woman, were married in London.



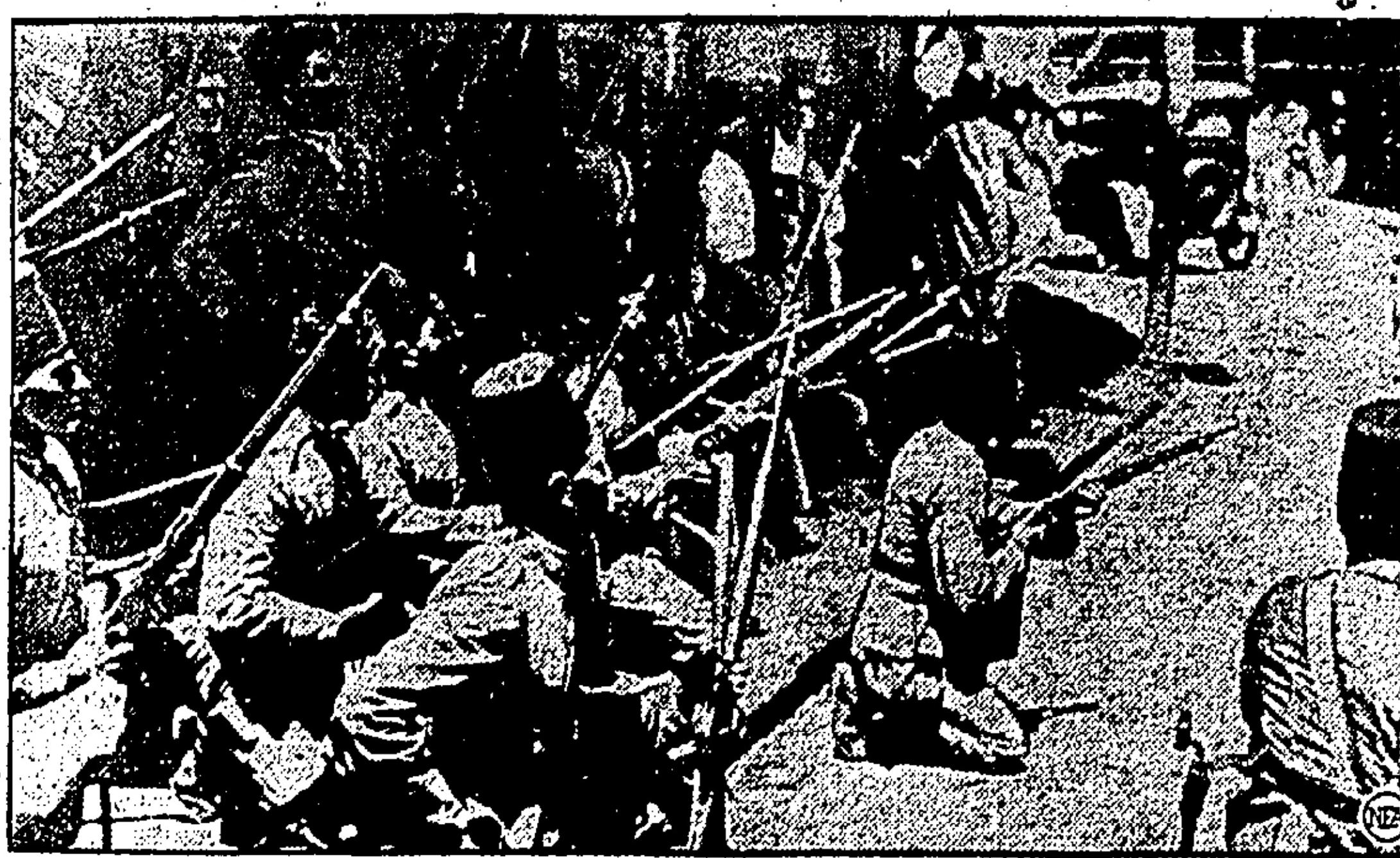
Only after several native rioters had been killed and scores wounded did police succeed in breaking up an attack upon department stores in Bombay. This unusual picture shows the riot at its height, with police and rebels in hand-to-hand conflict.



Winner of the 660-mile ocean race from New London, Conn., to Bermuda, the yacht Yankee Girl II here is shown crossing the line at St. David's Island, Bermuda, a winner over 41 other craft.



A "comet ship" is the name that has been given to this revolutionary type of plane. Its builders claim the craft will travel 300 miles an hour in the air and they expect to fly from New York to Berlin in 12 hours.



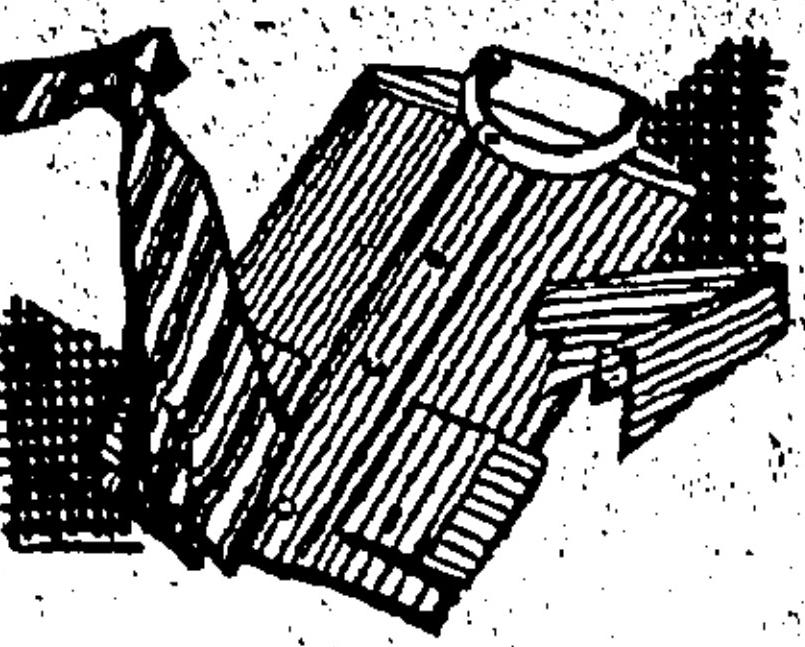
This picture shows a war-like scene in the streets of Mansura, Egypt, where several soldiers and civilians were killed in riots which marked the visit of Nahas Pasha, revolutionary leader and former Prime Minister. Police awaiting with leveled rifles the approach of rebels who have come into open conflict with King Fuad's government.



Dr. James M. Yard, of the Chicago faculty, was the speaker at the University of Chicago tiffin held at the Union Club, Shanghai. Dr. Yard is a former China resident, known as editor of the "Advance." He made only a short stay in Shanghai.

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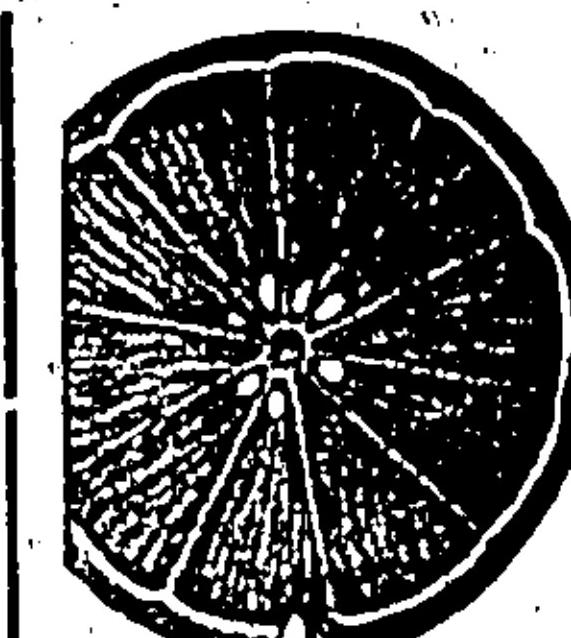
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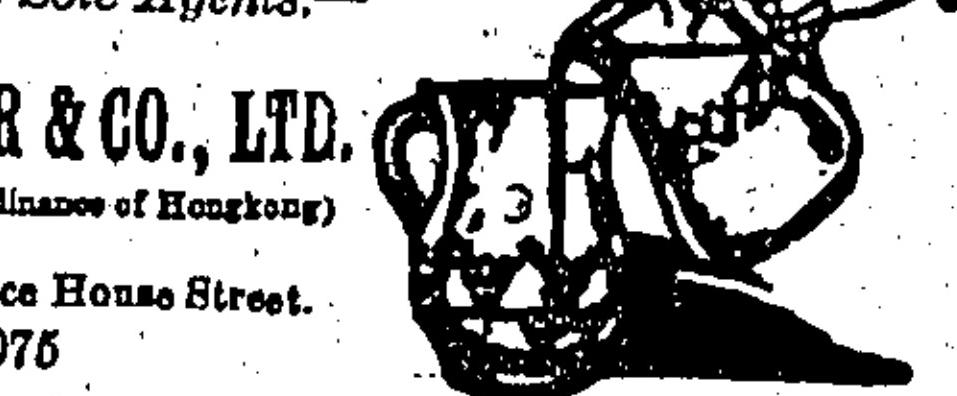
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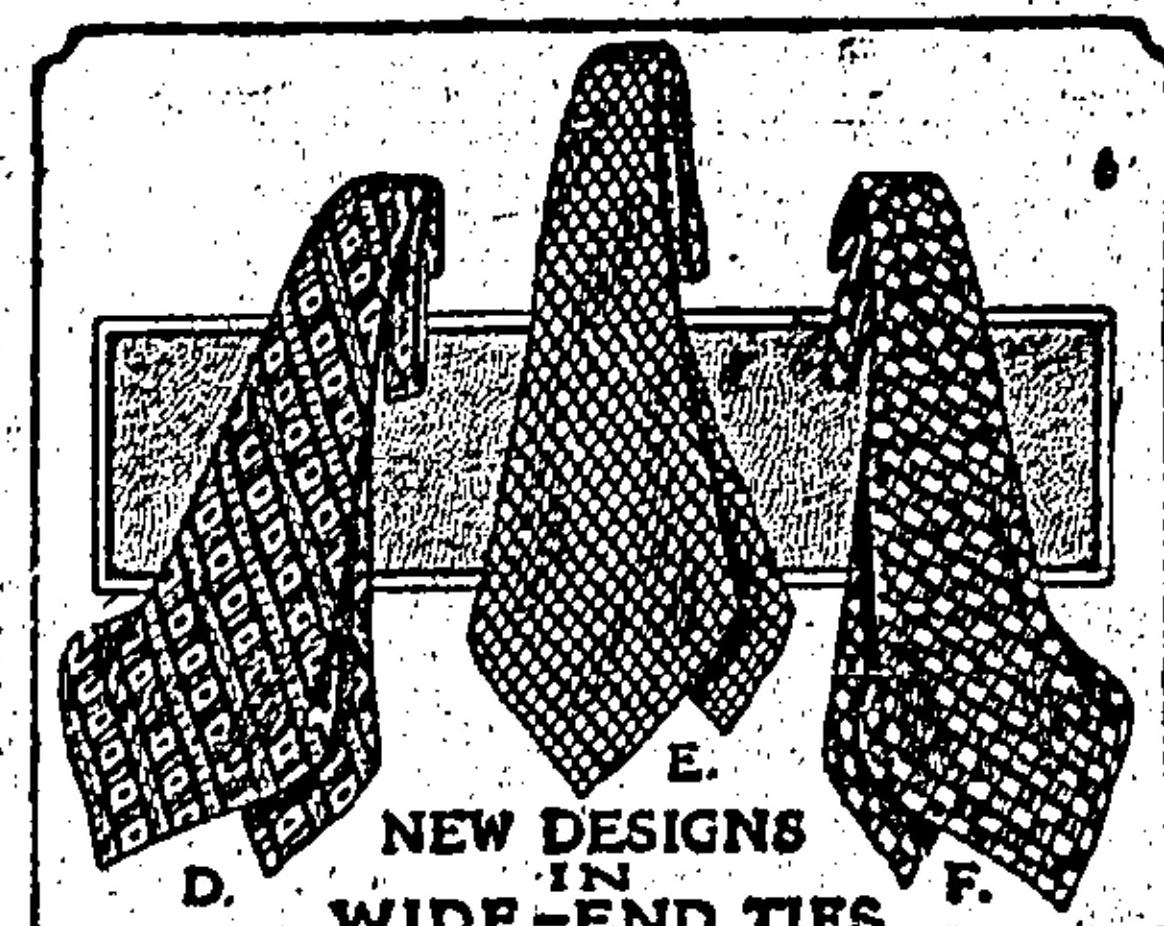
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## PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1930, AT 3 P.M., AT THE OFFICES OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, OF ONE LOT OF CROWN LAND AT MONG KOK TSUI, IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG, FOR A TERM OF 75 YEARS, WITH THE OPTION OF RENEWAL AT A CROWN RENT TO BE FIXED BY THE SURVEYOR OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING, FOR ONE FURTHER TERM OF 75 YEARS.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

## No. of Site Registry No. Boundary Measurements Land Surveyor's Report Date of Sale Annual Rent Upset Price

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## As per sale p. 40.

## 2,500 426 \$11,100

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The Twenty-fourth Annual Meeting will be held at the Sanitary Board Room, Post Office Building (by kind permission) on Tuesday, 9th September, 1930, at 5.15 p.m.

W. C. HUNG,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 8th September, 1930.

## NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

From 1st September, 1930 our address will be No. 17, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

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## HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB.

## NOTICE.

An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Members will be held in the Club-House, on Thursday, September 4, 1930, at 5.30 p.m.

Business.—As set out in the Notice sent to Members.

H. M. McTavish,  
Hon. Secretary.

## HONG KONG CLUB

## NOTICE.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Club will be held in the Club House on Friday, the 5th September, 1930, at 5.30 p.m.

Business.—As set forth in the notice posted in the Club.

By order,

T. A. ROBERTSON,  
Lieut. Col.,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 27th August, 1930.

## Lammert's Auctions.

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## CINEMA NOTES.

## ALL SHOWDOM PACKED IN FILM.

A show within a show is "The Broadway Melody," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer all talking, all-singing, all-dancing picture now playing at the Queen's Theatre, for a complete musical comedy is enacted in the story, which is very dramatic in its unfolding, taking one into the private life of the tireless entertainers of Broadway.

Anita Page, Bessie Love and Charles King are seen in the featured roles of the production, which is interspersed throughout with a specially written musical score. A sixty girl chorus is seen in a specially number filmed in Technicolour with gay and catchy musical accompaniment. Also, one sees all the other acts of a typical Broadway revue, with highly trained dancers, singers and comedians taking part.

Harry Beaumont, the director who made such a hit with "Our Dancing Daughters," is the director of this production. He has injected aside from its humour and drama, an appealing romance and just enough heartache to make it real.

## "The Dance of Life."

A most satisfying entertainment was presented to audiences at the Central Theatre last night when "The Dance of Life" opened its seven days' run. It is the world-famous stage success, "Burlesque," on the screen.

Hal Skelly re-lives the role of "Skid," which he created for the stage play, and in "The Dance of Life," he is doubly effective with Nancy Carroll, the charming heroine of many delightful pictures, opposite him.

"The Dance of Life" is talking throughout. It is one of the most adaptable subjects offered the dialogue screen. Music works into the plot naturally. Catchy, new, especially written songs are heard, intermingled with a group of old-time favourites. The settings are marvellous, from the backstage burlesque house, with its chorus of 180-pound "queens," to the magnificent "Follies" sequence, shown in natural colour with full sound, in which more than eighty beautiful show-girls take part.

## Let's Go Places.

From being a "boy tenor" in a minstrel show to a position as one of the best singing comedians of the speaking screen is the step taken by Frank Richardson, Fox Movietone fun maker who scored so heavily as the song-writing chauffeur in "Sunny Side Up" and who plays one of the featured roles in the new Fox Movietone musical, "Let's Go Places," opening on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre.

A native of Philadelphia, Richardson showed unusual vocal talents in childhood, and on leaving school joined an itinerant "tent show" travelling through the Eastern States and gaining much experience, which he subsequently used in going into "big time" vaudeville and later in Dumont's and then Emmett Welch's Minstrels. Before joining the Fox Movietone forces he was well known as a singer and master of ceremonies of a number of leading Eastern theatres.

Richardson employs these variegated backgrounds to great effect in his unique style of merrymaking. His role in "Let's Go Places" is that of an enthusiastic promoter who struggles to "put over" a young tenor in the talkies, and his antics provide many of the laughs in the production, which was directed by Frank Strayer.

## SHARE PRICES.

## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

## Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1510 n.  
Chartered Bank, \$161 n.  
Mercantile A. & B., \$28 n.  
East Asia, \$121 n.

## Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$970 b.  
Union Ins., \$450 n.  
North China Ins., Tls. 160 n.  
Yangtze Ins., \$50 n.  
China Underwriters, \$280 b.  
China Fires, \$400 b.  
H. K. Fire Ins., \$890 b.

## Shipping.

Douglas, \$231 b.  
H. K. Steamboats, \$351 b.  
Indo-China, (Def.), \$43 n.  
Union Waterboats \$32 n.

## Mining.

Benguet, \$81 n.  
Kailan, 30/- n.  
Langkawi, Tls. 83 n.  
Shai Explorations, Tls. 130 b.  
Rauba, \$22 s.  
Trouton, 21/- n.

## Docks, etc.

Kowloon Wharves, \$165 s.  
Whampoa Docks, \$383 s.  
China Providents \$5.20 s.  
Hongkew, Tls. 250 b.  
New Engineering, Tls. 73 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 118 n.

## Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 12. s.  
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 82 (old).

## Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$10.75 b.  
H. K. Lands, \$79 s.  
do. 75 s. x Rights  
do. Rights 131 b.  
S'hai Lands Tls. 300 b.  
Humphreys, \$16. s.  
Realities, \$4.35 b.  
Chinese Estates \$87 n.

## Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$18.10 b.  
Peak Trams (old), \$13 b.  
Star Ferries, \$84 n.  
China Lights, (Old), \$24.20 b.  
H. K. Electrics, \$78 s.  
Macao Electrics, \$23 n.  
Telephones, \$35 b.  
China Buses, Tls. 181 b.  
Singapore Traction, 10/- s.

## Industrial.

China Sugars, \$1.25 sa.  
Malabon, \$27 n.  
Cald. Magg. Ord., Tls. 10.75 n.  
Canton Ice, \$2.75 n.  
Cements (Comb.), \$17.80 s.  
Ropes \$111 b.  
United Asbestos \$5 n.

## Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$267 s.  
Watsons, \$11.95 n.  
Der A. Wings, \$1 b.  
Lane Crawford, \$21 n.  
Mackintosh, \$19 b.  
Sinceres, \$11.60 n.

## Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$26 n.  
Constructions, \$1.85 s.  
B'g Ind. G. Bonds, 62% n.  
H. K. G. Loan 8% Frem.

## EXCHANGE RATES.

London, Sept. 3. Paris, 123.775

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## ITEMS OF INTEREST.

## Flower Powder Puff.

The newest powder boxes are composed of varnished wood decorated with hand-painted flowers. The powder puffs which match these boxes are finished with a large cluster of flowers above the swansdown, and these flowers appear at the top of the box and act as a lid.

## Bizarre Necklace.

A necklace which will appeal to those who like the bizarre type of jewellery is made of large circles, about the size of the ping-pong ball, and covered all over with tiny beads. The necklaces are made in one colour, and slightly smaller balls in a paler shade are placed between each of the larger beads.

## Shagreen Necklace.

Shagreen has appeared in many shapes and forms, but not before has it been made into a necklace. This has now been done and small squares of shagreen are arranged alternately with green beads, while the necklace is fastened with an oblong of shagreen which may be worn at the front or the back of the neck.

## Flower Parasols.

Gay parasols for the garden or beach are made of bright coloured silk and decorated with an applique pattern of felt flowers. The design is arranged round the top of the sunshade and the flowers, which are of many different colours, are outlined with silk to match.

## Modern Sponge Bags.

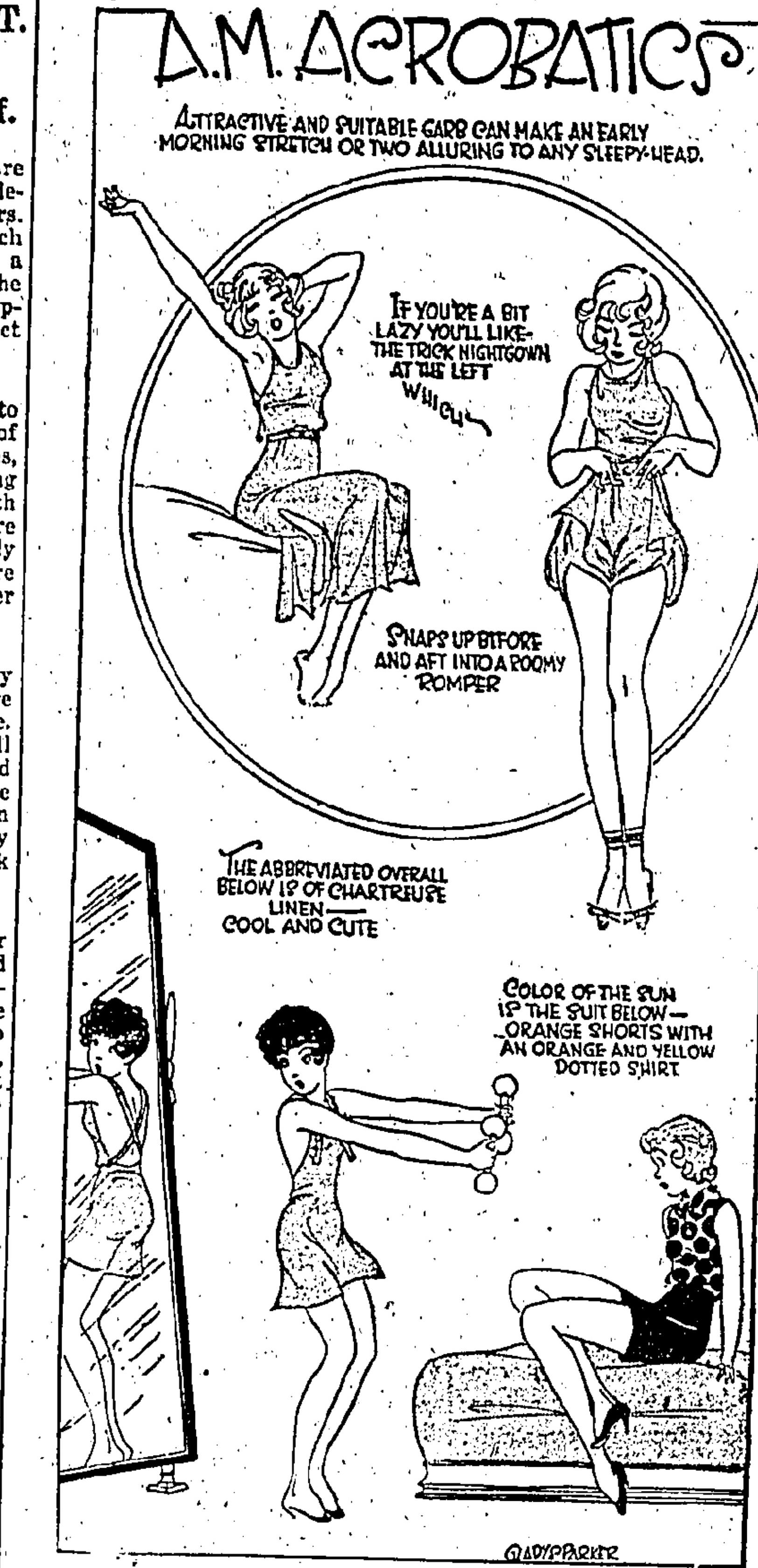
Sponge bags are now being made in the shape of an ordinary handbag, and they are far more useful than the old-fashioned rubber bag. The outside consists of natural-coloured canvas, with a hand-painted design on the front, and inside the canvas are several rubber pockets with spaces for tooth paste, nail brush, flannel, and sponge, &c.

## Brocade Shoe Boxes.

The tidy woman who objects to shoes lying in confusion on her bed-room floor or at the bottom of her wardrobe will appreciate the new brocade shoe boxes which are making an appearance in some of the large furnishing stores. The boxes are large enough to hold any number of shoes, and yet they fit neatly into a corner of the room. The brocade may be obtained to match or tone with the carpet, curtains, and chintzes.

## Beach Bag.

A useful bag designed for use on the beach is made of gaily-



## DRESSING THE PART.

Interesting testimony of the soundness of the belief that clothes exert a definite and a powerful influence upon speech, bearing, and, in the end, upon character, may be forthcoming in the near future, when a broadcasting experiment is to be made in London with the object of over-coming microphone "fright."

## Red And Beige Gloves.

A pair of gloves designed for smart afternoon or evening wear is made of beige and red suede, with wide lace gauntlets, edged with red. The gloves are fastened at the wrist by a bracelet of round and oblong suede beads.

## Silver And Glass Bracelet.

An unusual bracelet, which may be worn at the wrist or above the elbow, is made of silver, glass, and jade. Half the bracelet is a rounded strip of silver, with a small square of pale green jade at each end and a strip of glass to complete the circle.

## Green And Gold Bag.

A dainty afternoon handbag is made of green felt and tiny green wooden beads. The small rounded beads are sewn closely over the top of the bag; at the base and between the beads is a delicate design worked with fine golden threads.

And woman in her lifetime wears many hats, and each, as a rule, as different as possible from the last!

It is not easy to understand why

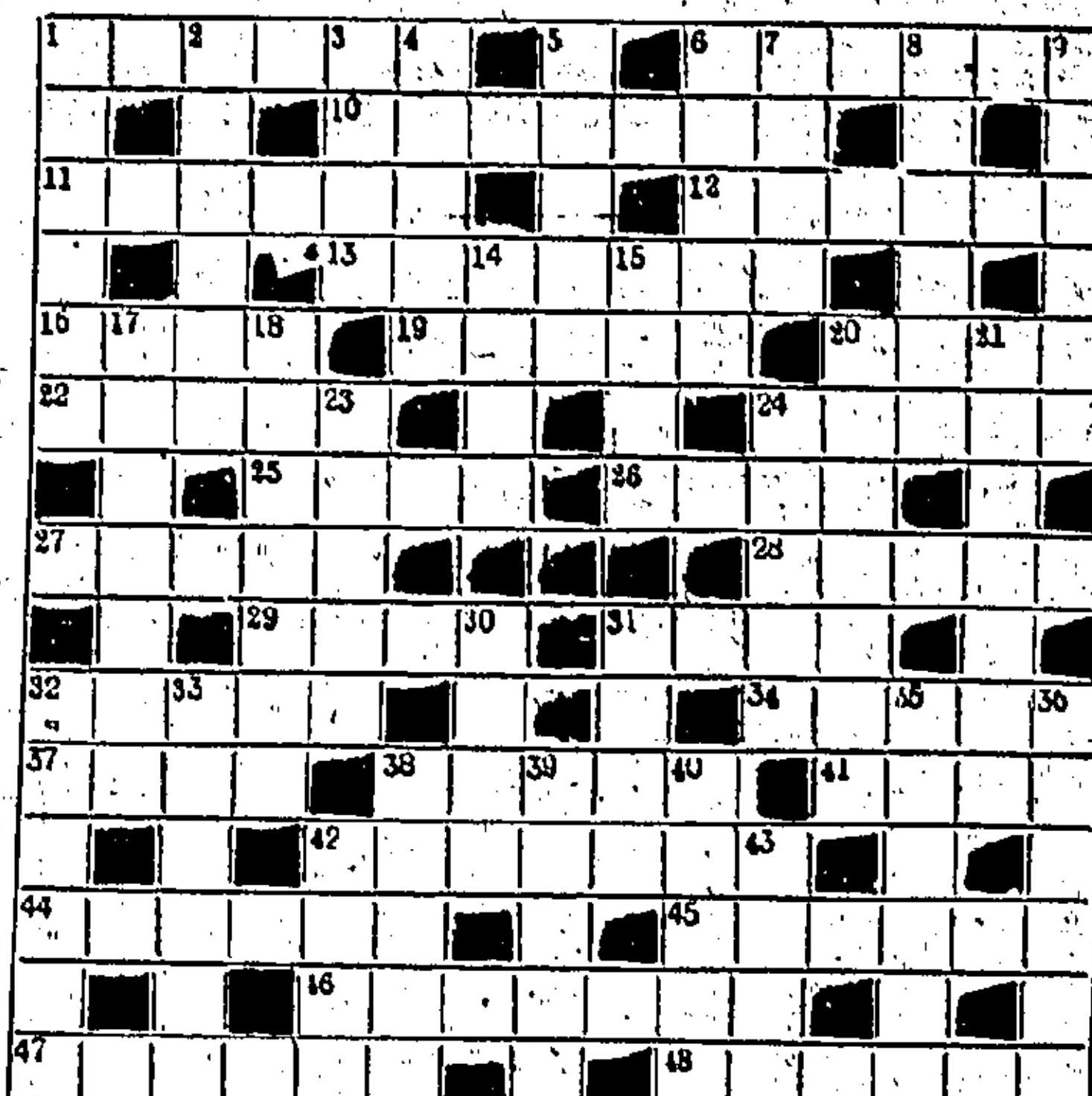
man should be the more stable

member of society?—H. M. In

Exchange.

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## Across

- Selfishness.
- He cornered wheat or, at any rate, was mixed up in some sort of a corn swindle (hidden).
- May be a geometrical figure, good for a cough, or seen on a coat of arms.
- Disturb a red pal and he will sell goods from door to door.
- There is a business transaction in these lofty conceptions.
- Fetter.
- A resting place wherein one may obtain light meals.
- Fifty is a French article—thread covers all.
- This, quite simply, is here.
- A girl's name.
- Quaffed in "Zummerzeit."
- Once ordered to be removed.
- Vegetables.
- In Aladdin's cave jewels lay around in
- Knock the head from this narrow piece to its foot, and it stumbles.
- This flavour is obtained from a French glove.
- Here Prohibition may be turned into a decision by a majority.
- A star of (?) first magnitude.
- Crude if you like, and never redrawn by a professional (hidden).
- Dry.
- Mustard goes well with this.
- Of this is long ago.
- Pass behind, and bring all together.
- Run from high into low to produce this.
- Blame that embraces two hundred, including us.
- Never do this.
- Required.
- Five hundred before us spread and turn. It is powdered.

## Down

- Disclose, out of attitude.
- A trial, or transaction.
- Bang—may be grand—from boats.
- Here the lesson is, mostly, spoken.
- Holy books may be saved.
- Lissoom.
- Re this—go back.
- Roved.
- All this fuss is terrible. Edgar will use such long words (hidden).

Yesterday's Solution.

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The Spirits Festival was gaily celebrated at Repulse Bay Hotel last night, when the Chinese staff of the Hotel gave a Chinese dinner. The Hotel residents were guests of the staff, and there were many visitors who were hospitably entertained. The dinner was served in the Chinese quarters, which were brightly decorated with flags and flowers and illuminated with coloured lights. Chinese plays were given on two specially built stages.

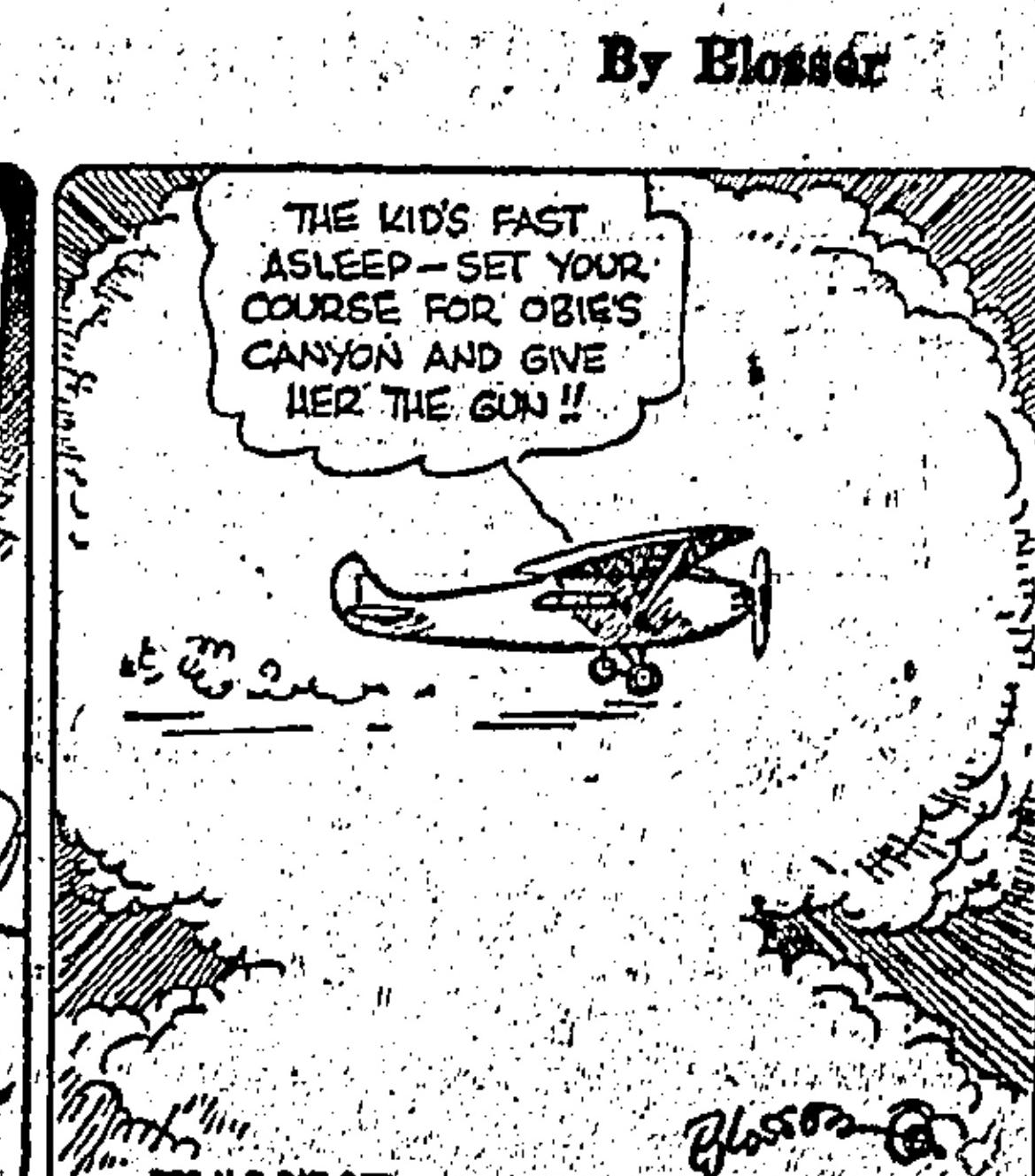
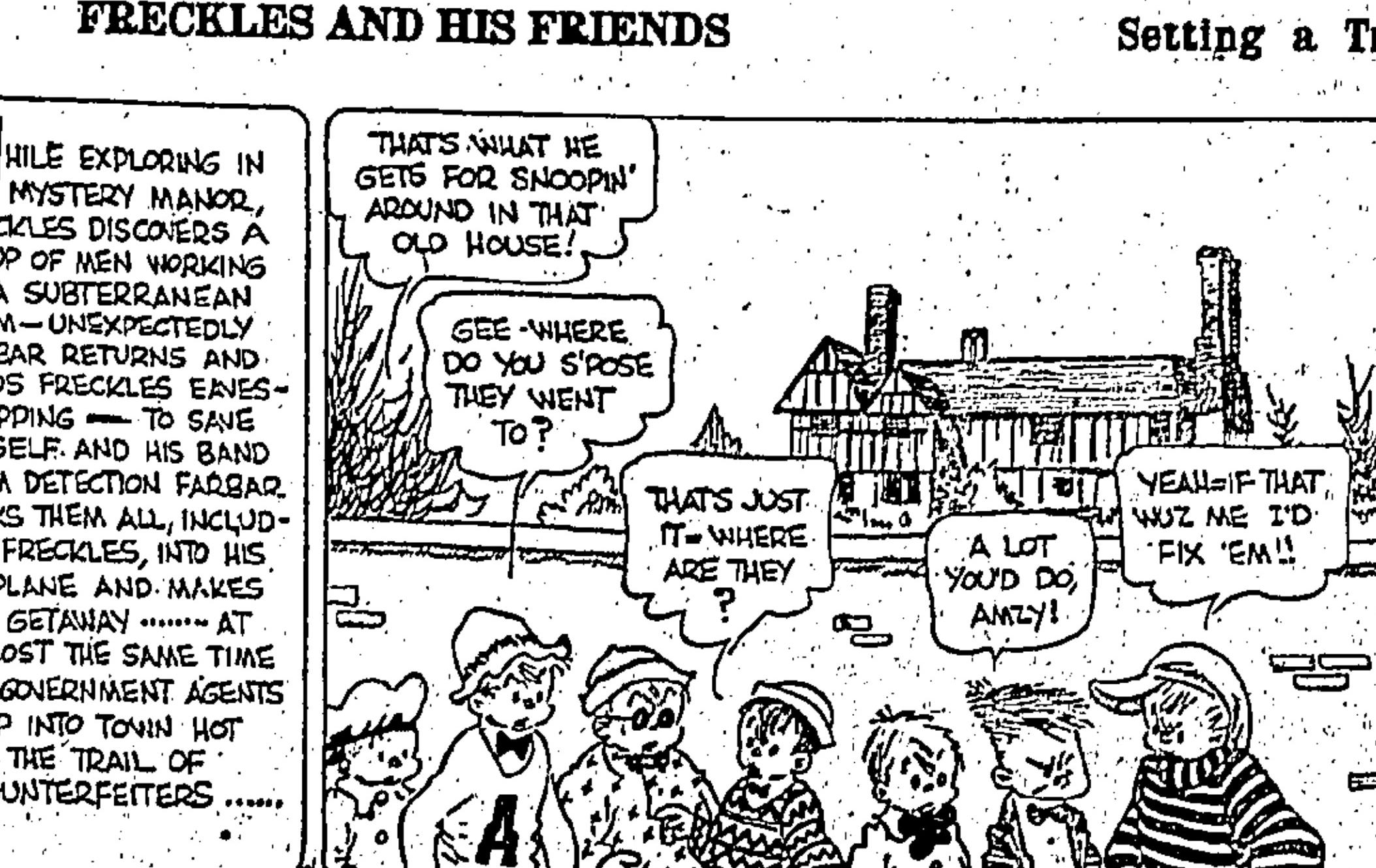
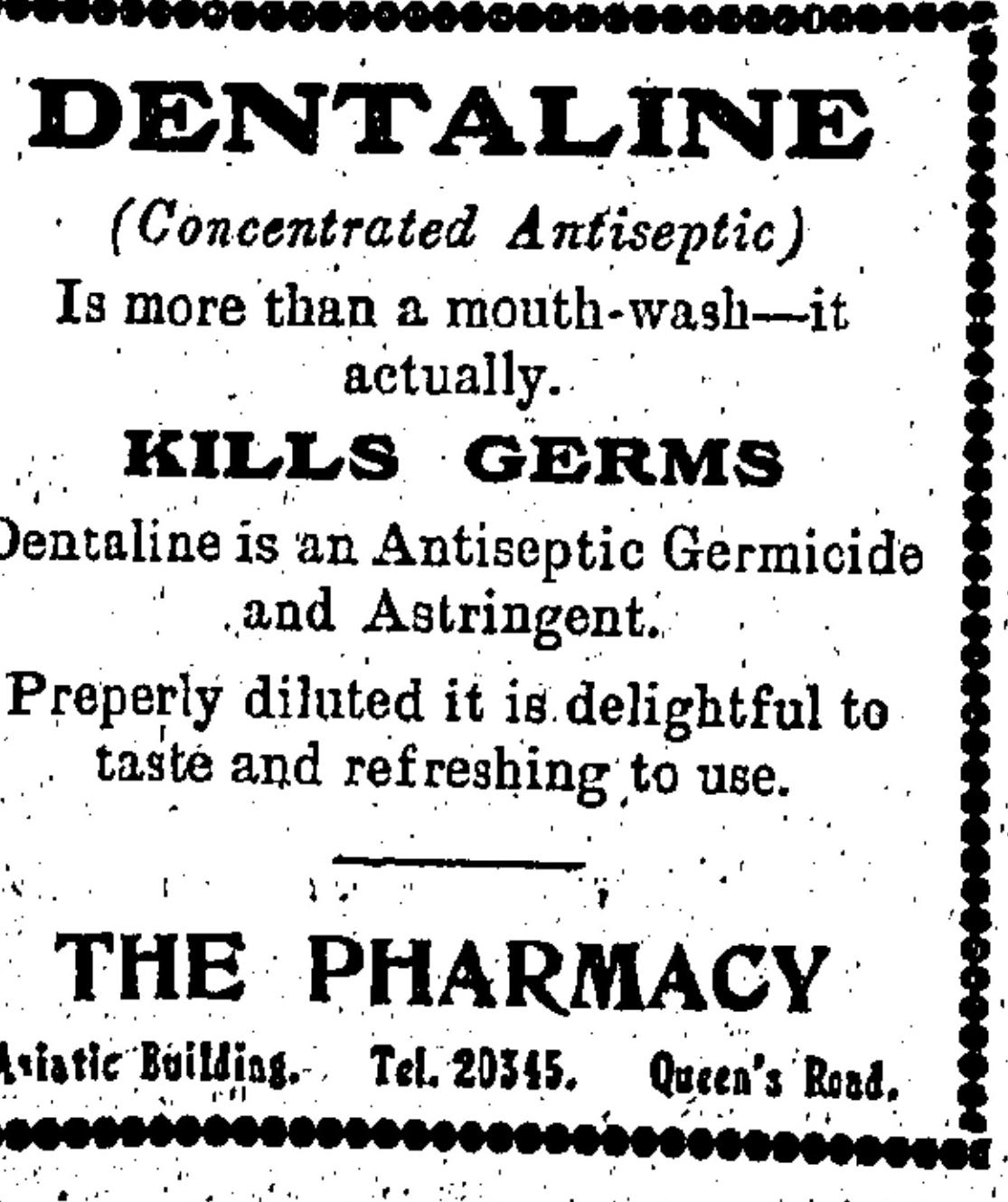
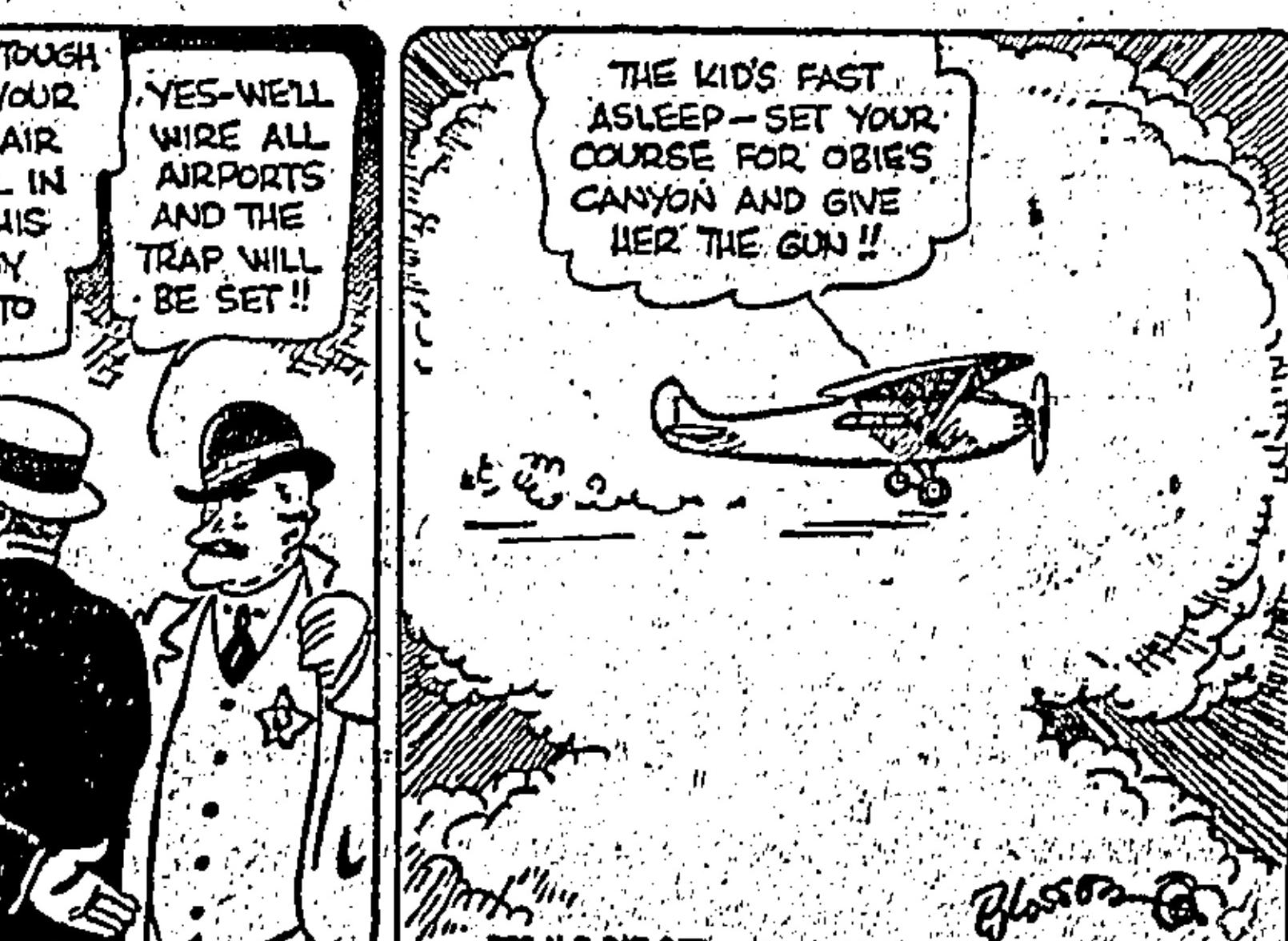
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THURSDAY, SEPT. 4, 1930.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

In putting forward their demands for the abolition of extraterritoriality, officials of the Nationalist Government in China have on more than one occasion contended that there can be no danger to foreigners if this course is followed, as the Germans have for many years been without these special rights and have not suffered in consequence. We have, however, from time to time encountered complaints from German nationals of the difficulty, if not the impossibility, of securing justice in Chinese Courts, whilst there have been one or two instances in which German subjects have suffered indignities and been unable to secure any redress. It must, nevertheless, be understood that Germans living in China would naturally be reticent in complaining of their lot, since it is quite conceivable that they might find matters made even worse for them if they directed attention to the unavoidable position in which they often find themselves. In the circumstances, they have little option but to suffer in silence.

The news from Swatow, which we published yesterday, telling of the experiences which befel the representative of a big German chemical firm in the town of Chao An, comes appropriately at a moment when the extraterritorial question is once again to the fore. This gentleman was on a legitimate business trip to investigate the activities of the local Kuomintang which had been threatening merchants who deal in foreign fertilisers and which had had the effrontery to tell Chinese farmers that such fertilisers were poisonous. He was seized, apparently by the Kuomintang, tied with ropes, paraded through the town with a "fool's" cap on his head, and then flung into prison together with the three Chinese who were accompanying him. Such is the measure of security given to a foreigner who enjoys no extraterritorial rights! Apart from the indignity suffered, the incident serves to throw into relief the chaotic conditions which prevail in China at the moment. The Kuomintang organisation, has not only been guilty of an unwarranted interference with legitimate foreign trade by working up a boycott against imported fertilisers, but it has seemingly defied such constituted authority as exists in the town and carried through a most despicable outrage. The story as

it reaches us certainly creates the impression that these agitators have followed the same course of action as many other branches in China by arrogating to themselves rights which they are wholly unwarranted in exercising; indeed, their action seems to come within the description applied to such bodies in the last British Reply to China on the extraterritorial question when attention was directed to groups and associations which set up arbitrary and illegal tribunals of their own.

We are presuming, in the absence of detailed information, that it is the Kuomintang which was responsible for the arrest, parading and imprisonment of Mr. Hensk. If not, and the local authorities are the culprits, the matter is only made worse than ever, for there could be no possible justification for such action by provincial officials. On the other hand, assuming our interpretation to be the correct one, it might well be asked what the local authorities were doing to permit of this outrage. So, in any event, the gravity of the incident is established and the fact brought into emphasis that there is no guarantee in China to-day of adequate protection for foreigners engaged in lawful pursuits. News of the affair by this time has doubtless been cabled to all parts of the world, and we can only hope that it will create in countries contemplating a revision of the existing extraterritorial arrangements a realisation of the danger of giving away too much in any negotiations now in progress.

Costes' Flight.

Dieudonne Costes, the famous French airman, has now probably achieved his life's ambition by making the first direct flight from Europe to New York. Costes has carried out many hazardous flights in recent years, but none so hazardous as the one which has been crowned with success and which exceeds in importance the flights of Commandant Fitzmaurice and his companions from Ireland and the more recent flight of Major Kingsford Smith to Newfoundland. In both these cases the shortest route from east to west was chosen—Costes started off from the capital of his own country and landed in New York, adding many miles to the distance of the previous east to west flights. Yet his flight fails to thrill as did Lindbergh's, although it is far more important as a flight and a far more difficult undertaking. The fact that Lindbergh was alone gave to him the lustre which is only now beginning to fade, but merely because Costes had with him a companion does not detract one iota from the magnificence of the feat. Flying the Atlantic from west to east has become comparatively common, but there are few who undertake the more difficult reverse route. So Costes has now added further to his records. He has been flying for eighteen years, during which time he has held many records for performances with loads of 500 and 1,000 kilograms. He has flown practically all over the world and has done far more than any other French airman to give France a worthy place in the records of aerial achievements. His feat in flying from Tokyo to Paris in 103 hours in 1928 was then hailed as the greatest feat in French aerial history. It is typical of Costes that he has not rested on his many laurels and that he has ventured on perhaps the most difficult of all flights with the exception of the direct Pacific crossing. It is also typical of Costes that he has made a success of his greatest undertaking. If before he was not national hero he will certainly become one now and the world will join in congratulations to him and to his native country.

When the case against a Chinese, charged before Mr. Whyte Smith yesterday, with having stowed away on the s.s. Kentucky from Shanghai to Hongkong, came up to-day, Sergeant Shepherd informed the Court that the defendant was ill in the Tung Wah Hospital and that the S.C.A. would send him back to Shanghai.

### DAY BY DAY

THE WISE MAN IS NEVER SATISFIED  
THAT HE KNOWS, BUT THE FOOL  
KNOWS THAT HE IS SATISFIED.—  
W. C. Frideau.

One Chinese case of typhoid fever was notified in yesterday's health return.

The E. and A. Company's a.s. St. Albans is due here with the Australian mail on Sunday morning.

The rainfall registered at the Botanic Gardens during August totalled 5.22 inches. There were 17 days when no rain fell.

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Robert Gordon, No. 354, The Peak, Hongkong, to Miss Blanche Ida Marshall, No. 7, Kelmscott Gardens, Shanghai.

The Hon. Treasurer of the St. John Ambulance Brigade begs to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of \$100 from Mr. Fung Kong-ku to Brigade Funds.

The Christian Fellowship Meetings will resume on Friday, September 5th at the Helena May Institute. The Rev. F. Short will speak during the month of September.—Adv.

Owing to the indisposition of Mr. R. E. Lindsell the inquiry into the circumstances of the Police tragedy at Lok Ma Chau, which was to have resumed yesterday, has been adjourned until to-morrow afternoon.

The local branch of the Chartered Bank received the following telegram to-day from the Head Office in London:—"Directors have declared an interim dividend for the past half year at the rate of 14% per annum, free of Income Tax."

The second pupil to secure the honour, Lo Koon-kan, of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., has been awarded a Grade 1 "Certificate of Proficiency" and Silver Medal with gold centre by Professor Mauricio, the local physical culturist, in a physical culture demonstration held on Monday. Mr. Reginald Smith, of submarine L19, recently on the China Station, has also won two diplomas for physical attainments and ju-jitsu.

A Chinese was charged before Mr. Whyte Smith this morning with having assaulted a Chinese girl, a waitress in the Restaurant Nathan in Nathan Road. The defendant was stated to have accosted the girl about midnight on September 2, near the Majestic Theatre and asked her for some money. He then struck her two blows on the head and on the chest. After evidence had been heard the man was convicted and sentenced to three months' hard labour. He had a precious conviction.

## The Housebreaker and His Art.

employed through a Labour Exchange.

Suitability for the work is largely a matter of health and temperament. The old adage "where there's no fear there's no danger" seems to be fully borne out in the trade. A youngster of 18 or 19 will go to the top of lofty building on his first job and start operations with the confidence of a veteran.

There are two classes of workers, the top-man or housebreaker proper, and the cleaner or groundman engaged in clearing and loading the bricks, timber, and other materials as they come down. Although there are no definite degrees of skill, only the more experienced workmen are entrusted with the task of shifting heavy details such as stone cornices or steel girders, which may run into many tons in weight.

During recent years the mechanical aids to building have been vastly improved. There has, however, been practically no mechanisation of housebreaking, and the methods remain much as they were twenty-five years ago. The gentleman with the pick does most of the work.

When you consider it, there would be difficulties in using modern appliances in buildings that are being broken down. The appliances would come down with the buildings, and therefore hand-work still prevails. The housebreaker of to-day earns more money and works shorter hours than his predecessors, but on the whole his work remains unchanged.

Notwithstanding the steadiness and confidence with which the men go about their work, accidents will sometimes happen. The insurance companies are fully alive to this risk and frame their tariffs accordingly, the insurance premium being generally from 10 to 15 per cent.

Fatalities, however, are happily rare. But it is the experience of at least one of the leading firms in the trade that more fatal accidents occur in falls of ten than in falls of forty feet or more.

The explanation of this apparent anomaly is that there is just room in a ten-foot fall for the workman to turn a half-somersault and strike his head on the ground, whereas in a longer fall there is an opportunity for him to regain his equilibrium and, perhaps, reach the ground feet foremost.

Nearly all the chief housebreaking firms have their headquarters in London; there are few, if any, followers of the trade in the provinces. Provincial demolitions are generally carried out by local builders, and if the job is one of magnitude, they will usually borrow a leading hand from a London

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"What's that noise, mother?"

"That's just my idol, darling, dragging home his feet of clay."

## NANNING ATTACK PLANNED.

## CANTON &amp; YUNNAN FORCES TO COMBINE.

## BIG-SCALE MOVE.

Canton, Sept. 3. The capture of Nanning and the end of the long-drawn-out Kwangsi campaign seem to be now definitely in view.

The combined forces of the 8th and 10th Route Armies, Cantonese and Yunnanese forces, are preparing to make a most determined assault on Nanning during the next few days. The 59th Division of the 8th Route Army under General Yu Hon-mou are reported to be at Wutang, within 80 li of Nanning. Meanwhile, other forces under General Yang Ting-chung and General Chu Wai-chau are at Chang Tang on the West River.

Nanning, the capital of Kwangsi, and Liuchow are now the last two strongholds in the hands of the rebel Kuanxi forces, in order completely to annihilate the rebels—General Chan Chaitong, Commander-in-Chief of the Nationalist forces in South China, plans to attack simultaneously at Nanning and Liuchow, the assault on the latter place being entrusted to the brigades under General Wong Yam-wan and General Fan Tack-sing.

General Chan Chai-tong, himself is still in Canton, but plans to return to his headquarters at Wuchow within the next day or two.

Admiral Chan Chak, Commander-in-Chief of the 4th Naval Squadron, Kwangtung Provincial Fleet, has at last left on his long-deferred tour of inspection of Southern Kwangtung and Hainan Island. He left Canton yesterday afternoon by his flagship Chung Shan; he was accompanied by his Chief Secretary, Mr. Chim' Kuk-su and by Mr. Chan Pak and Mr. Yang Sim of the Provincial Council.

Admiral Chan Chak plans to be absent from Canton for about one month, during which time the affairs of the Naval Bureau will be in the hands of his Chief of Staff, Commander Chan Ting. Admiral Chan is himself one of the newly-elected members of the Provincial Council, and it is in that capacity that he is making the present tour to inspect the various administrative departments in Hainan, Pukhoi and other southern parts of Kwangtung.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

## ACCEPTANCES FOR ST. LEGER.

## SIXTEEN HORSES IN THE FINAL LIST.

London, Sept. 3. The following are the final acceptances for the St. Leger:

Algonquin.  
Fairy Prince.  
Lovelace II.  
Grand Salute.  
Singapore.  
Dolomite.  
Rustum Pasha.  
Utmajeur.  
Christopher Robin.  
Redeswood.  
Seer.  
Prince Paradise.  
Rameses II.  
Iliad.  
Rock Star.  
Parenthesis.

—Reuter.

## COMMUNIST PLANS FAILING.

## POOR RESULTS OF FIVE YEAR INDUSTRIAL SCHEME.

Riga, Sept. 3. The Central Committee of the Communist Party has appealed to all party organisations and trade unions to unite in an endeavour to save the five-year plan, as during the last nine months many of the most important industries have realised only fifty per cent. of the output expected this year.

The appeal blames the prosperous peasants and other "counter-revolutionary wreckers" for the situation.—Reuter.

## QUEEN'S VISIT TO EDINBURGH.

## INSPECTS THE FINE WAR MEMORIAL.

London, Sept. 3. Her Majesty the Queen paid a private visit to Edinburgh to-day, and, after making purchases at antique dealers' shops, took lunch at Holyrood Palace.

Later she visited the National Gallery and Edinburgh Castle, where, with the Duke of Atholl, she inspected the splendid war memorial which has been erected since her last visit to the city.—*British Wireless.*

## ROAD WIDENING DISPUTE.

## INDIGNATION AROUSED IN WILTSHIRE.

## MINISTRY FIRM.

The Ministry of Transport's determination to proceed with the widening of the Bath Road from Froxfield to Marlborough remains unshaken in spite of the indignation aroused by the scheme in Wiltshire.

Correspondence issued by the Council for the Preservation of Rural England includes a letter from the Ministry to the Society written recently, and stating that the Minister could see no reason why the execution of the work should be delayed.

A letter was sent from the Council to the Ministry on July 17 pointing out that a question of general principal was involved in the proposal, and urging that only the most urgent parts of the scheme should be carried out until a regional planning scheme had been prepared for the area through which it passes.

"We think that it may be necessary to go even further than safeguarding the widening of the road and preservation of its frontages," the letter stated, "by means of improvement lines and town-planning schemes where it passes through areas for which they are being prepared.

## Reducing the "Raw Effect."

"It is possible—and we believe has been done elsewhere—not only to earmark or acquire the land for the widening, but to carry out or arrange for the planting which will fall into the ultimate scheme in due course, and thus reduce the raw effect which everyone so much deplores in a new road."

The letter added that other preparations of the ground might be immediately undertaken, and that dangerous corners and narrow places could be dealt with at once.

"The scheme for widening, in a word, should be made part and parcel of a regional planning scheme throughout the areas concerned," it concluded. "Such a scheme or schemes, prepared in consultation with the owners concerned and carried out with their co-operation, should not only safeguard the extra width of land that may be ultimately required, but should also protect the frontages."

"Only those parts of any such scheme should be carried out immediately which are: (1) Necessary for the safety and efficiency of traffic; (2) desirable in order to provide for the amenities of planting, &c., when the full widening may become necessary."

In reply the Ministry could only reiterate that the Minister had satisfied himself that due regard would be paid to the preservation of the amenities of the road, and that a substantial amount of employment would be provided by the scheme during the winter.

## HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS.

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Northern Section Table.								
Halifax	2	2	0	6	1	4		
Tranmere	2	2	0	5	2	4		
Stockport	2	2	0	5	3	4		
Chesterfield	2	2	0	5	3	4		
Rotherham	2	2	0	5	3	4		
Arsenal	2	1	0	3	1	3		
Southport	2	1	0	3	1	3		
Wrexham	2	1	0	4	3	3		
Rochdale	2	1	0	1	8	6		
Hull	2	1	0	1	4	3		
Lincoln	2	1	0	1	3	2		
Darlington	2	1	0	1	4	4		
Wigan	2	1	0	1	3	2		
New Brighton	2	1	0	1	2	3		
Gateshead	2	1	0	1	2	4		
Barrow	2	0	1	1	3	1		
York	2	0	0	2	3	5		
Nelson	2	0	0	2	4	7		
Crewe	2	0	0	2	3	6		
Carlisle	2	0	0	2	1	4		
Hartlepool	2	0	0	2	1	0		

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Nelson 2 0 0 2 4 7  
Crewe 2 0 0 2 3 6  
Carlisle 2 0 0 2 1 4  
Hartlepool 2 0 0 2 1 0

—Reuter.

## COMMUNIST PLOT IN TURKEY.

## IMPORTANT ORGANISATION DISCOVERED.

Constantinople, Sept. 3.

Thirty persons, including students, professors, and workers, have been arrested in connexion with the discovery of a Communist plot.

Those arrested are alleged to have stirred up agitation among different classes of the community. The agitators' organisation, which is alleged to be connected with the Third Internationale, is believed to be the most important Communist organisation discovered in Turkey up to the present. A number of suspects have also been arrested at Angora and Zonguldak, the centre of the coal mining industry.—Reuter.

## POSSIBLE MURDER IN NEW TERRITORIES

## MAN'S BODY FOUND AFTER A FIGHT.

The police are investigating a case which has the appearance of a village murder, involving a Chinese of 55 years who had been residing at Au Tau, New Territories.

It transpires that the Chinese became involved in a fight with a party of about five villagers and was wounded, on Monday. He died later in the day and his body was discovered on Wednesday, which led to the suspicion that he was secretly buried by those responsible for his death.

It has not been established since whether he died of natural causes or consequent on his wounds.

According to later reports, it appears that the deceased, Cheung Pak-yau, (65), a bean curd maker, was a native of Sheung Tse, in the Pat Heung Valley. His body was found by the police buried on the hillside about 5.30 p.m. on Monday. It is said that a former police constable, who resigned about three years ago is wanted in connexion with the affair.

## ARGENTINE NOW QUIETER.

## PARLIAMENT TO MEET SHORTLY.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 3. The situation here seems easier. It now transpires that Senor Delaplane, on resigning the post of Minister of War yesterday, declared that President Irigoyen was surrounded by men who, while enjoying his confidence, have made the President appear in an unfavourable light in public opinion.

It is also reported that a number of the leading followers of the President commissioned the latter's private physician to advise him to resign, but President Irigoyen refused.

The octogenarian President today signed a decree for the opening of an ordinary session of Parliament on the 11th instant, and cancelling the excessive precautionary measures by the police and military.

## SNATCHED MONEY AND RAN.

## INCIDENT AT SHOP OF A MONEY CHANGER.

A charge of the theft of \$135, alleged to have been snatched from the counter of a money changer at 32, Des Voeux Road West yesterday, was brought against a Chinese who appeared before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Police Court this morning, the defendant admitting the offence.

According to Inspector W. R. McWalter, the complainant was changing quantity of Singapore notes into local currency and just as he was bending down to pick up a piece of paper, which he had dropped, the defendant snatched \$135, which had been left on the counter. The defendant ran away but was chased and caught.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed.

## EMPIRE CONFERENCE BROADCASTS.

## SIX PREMIERS TO BE HEARD.

London, Sept. 3. The proposal which had been considered of broadcasting the speeches of Prime Ministers at the opening session of the Imperial Conference on September 30th has been abandoned, but arrangements have been made for special broadcasts to be given by each of the six Prime Ministers during the period that the Conference is meeting.

It is stated that similar arrangements may be made for broadcasting speeches by the leading delegates to the Indian Round-Table Conference, which will be held in London after the Imperial Conference has completed its work.—*British Wireless.*

## AMERICAN BASEBALL RESULTS.

## NEW YORK PLAY TWO GAMES WITH BOSTON.

New York, Sept. 3. The following are the results of the baseball matches played in the National and American League today:

## National.

Pittsburgh 9 Chicago 6

Boston 3 New York 5

Boston 11 New York 7

## American.

Philadelphia 11 Boston 4

New York 10 Washington 7

—Reuter's American Service.

## BACK TO LAND MOVEMENT.

## WATCHWORD OF THE GREEK GOVERNMENT.

## IMPERATIVE NEEDS.

"Back to the land," is the watchword of the present Greek Government in its agriculture policy. Efforts are being made to carry the Greek people that the field is not less important for national prosperity and happiness than the sea.

More than 80 per cent. of the values of the exports of Greece are represented by its agricultural products. Considering that international competition on the sea is so powerful to-day, the intensive cultivation of the land becomes more urgent and imperative for the existence of the Greek nation.

Though in the past all incoming and outgoing governments have recognized the great significance of agriculture for national welfare, nothing very important has thus far been done radically to ameliorate the situation. This heavy duty has fallen to the share of the present administration. A new law disposes of the reorganization of agricultural services on the decentralization system which establishes a close contact between the rural populations and agricultural specialists.

In virtue of this law the country has been divided into 40 agricultural regions. The administration of each of these departments is confided to a chief overseer. Reports are being regularly dispatched to the Minister of Agriculture. On the other hand, measures have been taken to establish, in various localities, agricultural installations, experimental stations, centres of mechanical culture, model fields, special nurseries of American vines, etc.

But it is the cereals that need greater reinforcement. In 1928, out of the 15,000,000 stremmas of land cultivated, 11,400,000 stremmas were occupied by cereals, which yielded a production amounting to 3,535,000,000 drachmas in value. Among the cereals, a well-organized cultivation of wheat will give positive results.

Greece, says Mr. Spirides, the names and address of the couple who have adopted the baby were written down and handed to the Bench by Sir Thomas, who suggested that secrecy should be observed because it was necessary that if the child remained where it was it should start a perfectly new life.

"It is necessary that later if the child met its mother in the street it should not recognise her," observed counsel.

Lord Hewart said the Court had no concern with the merits of any particular religious faith.

It had been argued that the mother's wishes about her child had first claim for consideration. During the last decade, however, the law had changed with regard to that matter, and now the paramount question seemed to be the child's welfare.

It would appear that even if the child was handed back to the mother she would not be able to provide for it, and it would go into a charitable institution.

He decided that the child should be returned to the mother, adds Mr. Spirides, estimates that the cultivation of wheat is very susceptible of a rapid and

sure development.

## BAD SARDINES IN KOWLOON.

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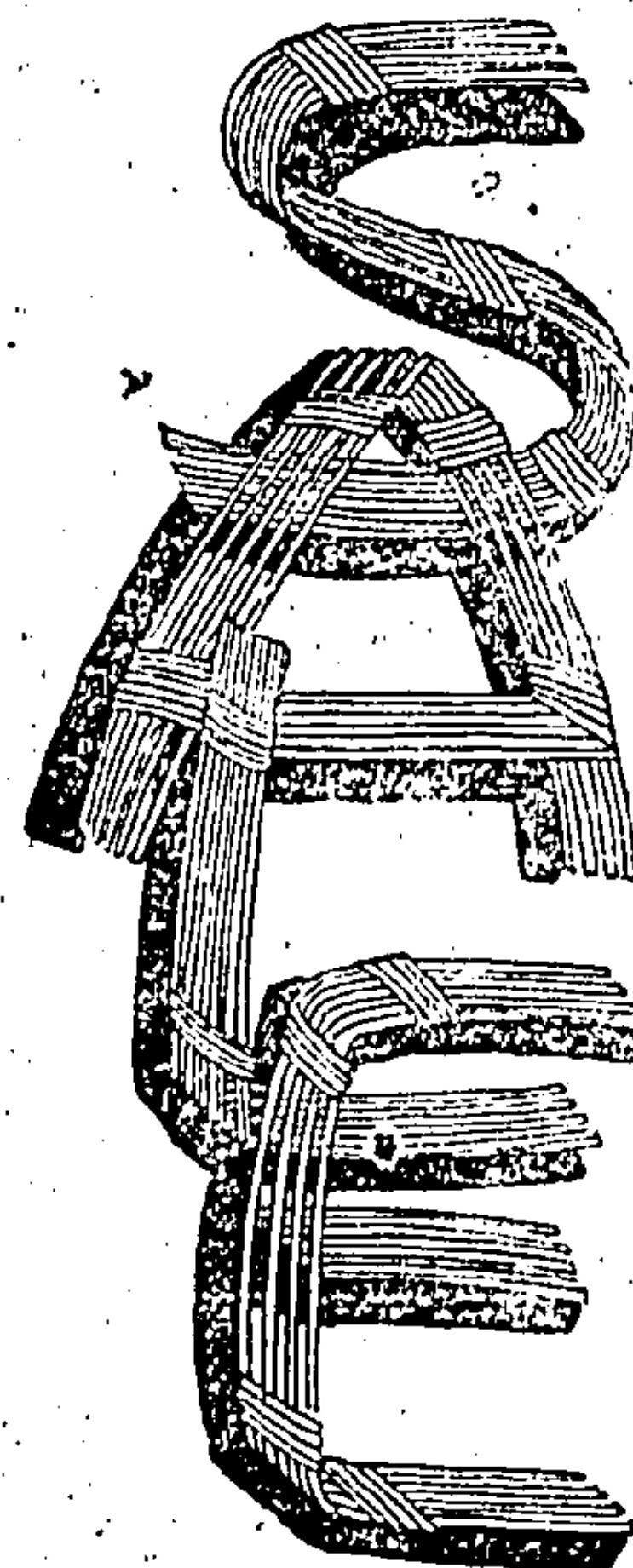
and the defendant said he had no tins with him. The Inspector then searched the premises and found 12 tins of sardines. They were all in a blown condition.

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BLACKMAIL.****PENSIONER COMMITTED  
FOR TRIAL****BIG SUM INVOLVED.**

On charges of obtaining £1,600 by threats from the Rev. H. F. Dunn, rector of Ruan Lanhorne, near Truro, and £300 from the rector by false pretence, a one-armed Army pensioner named James Coffey, of Bramble House, Ruan High Lanes, Truro, was at Truro, committed to Bodmin Assizes.

Supt. Osborne said that Coffey's wife became ill early in 1928, and Coffey, who was one of the churchwardens, borrowed various sums totalling £200 from the rector.

In February, 1928, the rector called to see how Mrs. Coffey was. She was apparently distressed over her health and money matters, and there was some question about a loan of £25. Next day she went to the rectory and obtained the loan.

The First Cheque:

Some time later Coffey called at the rectory, said the superintendent, and accused the rector of an act of indiscretion with his wife. He threatened to inform another person, and, saying that he had instructed a solicitor in London, demanded £100 to pay the costs.

The rector (continued the superintendent) foolishly made out a cheque for £100, and from that date to May 10 last, leading the rector to believe that the solicitor's costs were mounting up, he obtained £1,600.

On May 10, said Superintendent Osborne, Coffey, who was then staying at a Truro hotel, sent a taxi to the rectory, requesting that the rector should come to the hotel on important business.

Mr. Dunn went, and Coffey told him that Mr. Major, the solicitor, was in the hotel and wished to make a final settlement of the case. The rector went to the bank and brought cash back.

Coffey produced a paper on which was written:

"Received in final settlement of Case 167, £400. (Signed) P. Major, May 10, 1930."

The rector said Coffey's threat was to report him to the Bishop. Sergeant Rowland, of Cornwall County Constabulary, read a long statement by Coffey which contained the following:

My wife informed me that he forcibly held her while he kissed her several times.

Later I saw the Rev. Dunn and warned him never to speak to my wife again.

He admitted indiscretion, and apologized repeatedly. I threatened to inform the Bishop, but he appealed on both knees for me to stay my hand.

He offered me £100 to do so and I foolishly accepted and obtained further money from him.

**LOCAL SWIMMING  
CHAMPIONSHIPS.****SEVERAL HEATS AT V.R.C.  
LAST EVENING.**

Excellent swimming was witnessed at the V.R.C. last evening, when the heats for three of the championship events, the finals of which are to be contested on Saturday night, were swum. The winners and the fastest losers in each event will swim on Saturday. The results were:

100 yards free style for champion-ship of the Colony (heat 1)—1. W. Lawrence, 60.2-5 secs; 2. R. Emery 61 secs; 3. S. V. Gittins 61.1-5 secs.

Heat 2.—1. T. Paget, 62.4-5 secs; 2. Leung Sui-man, 63; 3. Lieut.-Commander Havers, 63.4-5.

Lawrence, Paget, Emery and Gittins will compete in the final.

100 yards breast stroke (heat 1)—1. Wong Kwoong-ting, 81.4-5 secs; 2. W. Fornata, 82.4-5 secs; 3. Young Hang-wah, 83.

Heat 2.—1. Tang Ching-hing, 79.4-5 secs; 2. H. M. Remedios, 84.1-5; 3. Li Kee, 90.

Heat 3.—1. Wong Kee-shan, who swam over in 83.3-5 secs.

Wong Kwoong-ting, Tang Ching-hing, W. Fornata and Wong Kee-shan will contest the final.

Ladies 100 yards free style (heat 1)—1. Miss E. Scull, 83.3-5 secs; 2. Miss E. Allan, 84.2-5; 3. Young Son-king, 101 secs.

Heat 2.—1. Miss M. George, 92 secs; 2. Miss P. Hunt, 102 secs.

Heat 3.—1. Miss D. Hunt, 87 secs; 2. Miss P. Anslow, 95 secs.

Miss Scull, Miss George, Miss D. Hunt and Miss Allan will meet in the final.

100 yards Boys' Championship of the Colony (heat 1)—1. A. Roza, 81.4-5 secs; 2. E. Souza, 82.4-5; 3. A. C. Dalziel, 83.3-5.

Heat 2.—1. H. J. Anslow, 79.7-5; 2. A. A. Rumjahn, 79.3-5; 3. R. M. Azin, 93.3-5.

Heat 3.—1. R. B. Wood, 75.4-5 secs; 2. L. M. Remedios 86 secs.

E. Roza, F. J. Anslow, R. B. Wood and A. A. Rumjahn will swim in the final.

Mr. E. Schroter, of Conduit Road, has reported to the Police that while his motor car, No. 843, was parked in Conduit Road yesterday, someone stole his radiator cap and Automobile Association badge.

**THE COAL MINES  
BILL.****MR. W. GRAHAM EXPLAINS  
ITS WORKING.****MARKETING PLANS.**

Mr. William Graham, President of the Board of Trade, discussed the Coal Mines Bill in an interview with a Press representative.

"As regards the hours in the mines," he said, "the decision of the House of Lords means that assuming the Bill becomes law, the half-hour reduction in the working day will become operative in December.

"In practice, that means that working hours in all the coalfields in Great Britain will be on a uniform basis, Yorkshire, the Midlands, and certain workers in Northumberland and Durham beginning now on a seven and a half hours basis.

"Or the assumption that there is no further legislation dealing with hours the half-hour reduction in working time and the spread-over can operate only from next December to July, 1931, at which date the 1926 Act expires and the industry reverts to the pre-1926 position, which is a seven hours working day in all the coal-fields plus one winding time.

"Opinion is sharply divided as to whether the industry will be in a position to return automatically in July, 1931, to a seven hours basis.

"Even miners' leaders doubt that possibility, but in any event it is entirely in the national interests and the interests of the mining industry that there should be two stages, the first provided by the terms of the present Bill and the second by the automatic return in July, 1931, to the pre-1926 position.

"Experience during the coming months will throw full light on that problem, and it is believed on both sides that the National Industry Board set up under this Bill will contribute to any further solution which may be necessary next year, whether that involves legislation or not.

Marketing Schemes.

"As regards the marketing schemes in part one of the Bill the first steps have now been taken by the Mining Association, which is the national organisation of the owners, and by the district bodies or organisations of the owners.

"The national scheme, which coordinates the twenty-one districts throughout the country and fixes the district allegation of the coal to be reduced, is already so far prepared. District schemes are also in preparation. These must be approved by the national machinery of the owners and by the Board of Trade. The South Wales scheme is understood to be the most complete and nearest to the terms of the Bill. In all probability, therefore, the schemes in every district will be based upon that model.

"The holiday season may delay for a week or two their completion, but the Government believes that by September practically all of them will be ready and that almost immediately afterwards they will come into operation."

It is understood that the Government will almost immediately appoint the five Commissioners to get to work on amalgamation.

**WATER-POLO LEAGUE.****V.R.C. SCORE WIN OVER  
CHINESE ATHLETIC.**

Until right up to a few minutes from the finish, the Chinese Athletic held the strong V.R.C. seven in last night's water polo fixture, but taking advantage of two opportunities, the V.R.C. managed to rattle on a goal in each case. The Chinese Athletic were just a little unequal to wiping off the ares, due to the strong V.R.C. defence. Final scores were:

V.R.C. 2 goals; Chinese Athletic, nil.

The teams were:

V.R.C.—Gittins, Laing, Soares, Stewart, Roza Pereira, Remedios, Knight.

Chinese Athletic—Shui Tim-lim, Fung Kwok-wai, Chan Sze-lok, Ng Kam-chuen, Choi Chat-lam, Tam Chee-kam, Lam Yui.

Mr. May was referee.

**LADIES GOLF.****LADIES CAPTAIN'S CUP  
FOR AUGUST.**

Mrs. E. Dovey qualified for August with 88-11-77.

There will be a Golf and Bridge Tournament at Deep Water Bay for ladies on September 23.

**NAVAL MAN FAILS  
IN DIVORCE.****SAW SERVICE IN CHINA  
TWO YEARS AGO.****ORPHANS' REUNION:**

A strange story of the meeting of a sister and her long-lost brother was told in the Divorce Court.

Mr. Justice Bateson dismissed the petition of Thomas Henry Stonehouse, a commissioned shipwright in the Royal Navy, stationed at Chatham, for the dissolution of his marriage with his wife, Lily, on the ground of alleged misconduct with the co-respondent, Sergeant Accountant Albert Crease, of the R.A.F.

The wife made cross-charges against her husband, and allegations were denied on both sides.

The marriage was in 1908, and there were two children.

According to the husband's case, while he was in China waters in 1928, the wife wrote saying she had found her brother (cited as co-respondent), whom he (petitioner) had never seen. Later she sold their house at Gillingham and with her son and her brother went to Violet Farm, Hillington, near Uxbridge, where misconduct was alleged.

Mrs. Stonehouse, the wife, and Sergeant Crease, the co-respondent, a married man, gave denials on oath. Copies of birth certificates were put in evidence.

Although claiming to be brother and sister, they alleged that as orphans they were brought up apart by different relatives from their childhood, and only once met from the time they were children.

Tainted Evidence.

The judge said that in his view the petition failed.

The relations of such people as brother and sister and those of a man and woman who were not blood relations would be quite different.

The judge added that the case of the husband rested upon the evidence of his young son, and that of the landlord and landlady of the farm, to whom Mrs. Stonehouse owed money.

There was also the evidence of the witness employed on the farm who said he got a ladder which he placed against the house one night and looked through the window of the wife's room. He saw nothing, but said he heard the voices of co-respondent and the wife.

The wife's explanation was that hearing noises and feeling nervous she went to co-respondent's room.

That sort of evidence, said his lordship, was not sufficient, coming

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as it did from tainted sources. The co-respondent had been only recently married, and was still living happily with his wife.

The petition was dismissed and the co-respondent dismissed from after all those years, and the fact suit with costs.

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## THE HOLLYWOOD STORY—By Ernest Lynn.

### BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Dan Rorimer had been in Hollywood two weeks when he got a letter from an old newspaper friend in New York, Ziggy Young, telling him to look up a young man named Anne Winter, who was in Hollywood from Tulsa, Okla., to "crash the movies." Dan is somewhat annoyed at the tone of Ziggy's letter. The latter is one who takes favours for granted.

He complains to Paul Collier, who is present when he gets the letter. Collier, who writes a daily movie column for a string of newspapers, is unfeeling in the matter and tells him his duty to Ziggy is clear. So Dan goes to see Anne Winter, and Anne is literally taken off her feet by her charm.

Dan takes her to dinner and suggests that they dance later; and at her request he tells her about himself—how he had given up newspaper work to become a waiter with Collier. Now one of his stories had been bought by the movies, a circumstance that led to his signing a contract as a scenario writer for Continental Pictures.

### CHAPTER II.

Since coming to Hollywood Anne Winter had worked one day as an extra.

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"Did Ziggy Young tell you that?"

Rorimer said no. "It's in your voice; Ziggy didn't have to tell me." But her voice, he told himself, was not all. There was a definite poise about her, an assured ease of movement; and certain little mannerisms, like her trick of listening and the eloquent use of her hands, bespoke her training.

She laughed. "You're very observant, aren't you?"

"Perhaps." They turned into the parking lot beside the restaurant and Rorimer, giving the attendant his ticket, asked her if she would like a little ride before dancing.

"Then I can hear your life story without the competition of George Olsen's band." It was decidedly pleasant, he thought, with Anne Winter beside him in the car and Anne Winter's low, vibrant voice in his ear.

They swung east on Sunset Boulevard. The cool breeze that had come with the evening sang against the windshield and rushed past them into the night. Dan pointed toward the sky. "Hollywood stars," he said with a smile.

She nodded thoughtfully, her mood changing. "They are far away, aren't they? . . . I've worked just one day since I've been here."

Rorimer might have told her that she could count herself fortunate for that. Instead, he said, "But you've been ill, and you've been here less than two weeks. You'll get your chance."

"Do you really think so?"

"Stage experience helps tremendously, now that the pictures talk."

But her practical stage experience, she informed him, had been limited to stock company engagements in Tulsa and Kansas City. "I'm not from Broadway."

"That isn't necessary."

"I've begun to think it is quite important."

"Of course, a reputation means a great deal. But not quite all. I was talking with the casting director at Continental the other day," he said warmly, "and he told me that stock company experience was just about the best preparation a girl could have for work in pictures. And believe me, Dick Charles knows—he was an extra himself a few years ago. He says that about the best advice he could offer a person looking for extra work and an eventual career in pictures is to work a year or two in stock and then come out to Hollywood with enough money to pay living expenses for a year or two more."

"They'll tell you the same thing," he added, "at Central Casting Bureau. Have you been there?"

"I am registered there," she told him.

"Well, that's something in your favour—they're not registering everybody that's looking for extra work."

"They told me there that I should have enough money to last me, without work of any sort, for at least one year and preferably three."

Rorimer nodded. "I know. If you're just looking for a job, it sounds pretty tough; but if you're looking for a career it's different. You sort of expect to have to make sacrifices, I suppose."

"You know something about that yourself, don't you?" Anne Winter said, smiling.

Rorimer looked puzzled.

"Don't you remember the time you gave up eating lunch?" she asked.

He chuckled. "Oh, yes, I did lay something on the altar of Art, didn't I?" . . . Gone far enough?"

"Just as you say. I do feel like dancing, though."

Rorimer swung the car to the left at the next street. "All right; we'll go back on Hollywood Boulevard. Meanwhile how about the story of your life? The life and loves," he added, "of Anne Winter."

Anne shook her head. "Life only," she said positively; "and that's so uneventful, I'll have finished before we reach the Boulevard."

He deliberately slowed down. Anne Winter laughed joyously.

"Born in Tulsa," she said, mimicking the manner of his own recital, "raised in Tulsa, went to school in Tulsa . . ."

There had been, she added, a course in a dramatic school.

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Her father, she informed him, was a lawyer. "He used to be a judge, but he went back to private practice some years ago."

"His decision," Rorimer said solemnly, "does him credit as a jurist. Solomon couldn't have done better." He said, "You're bound to go a long way with a father like that behind you."

"You're nice to say that . . . Well, that's the end of my story."

Rorimer said, smiling at her, "I'm sure it's just the beginning."

"You're so kind. I'm sure what you are really thinking is that I'm a movie-mad, rattle-brained girl and that I've no business out here. . . . What else did Ziggy Young say about me in his letter?"

Dan, remembering that letter and the things he had said to Paul Collier, laughed. "Ziggy's a rotten reporter," he said. "He told me you were freckle-faced and stubborn."

"Well, I can be stubborn—and I used to have freckles. That's not bad, coming from Ziggy."

"He's not exactly what you'd call complimentary," Rorimer admitted. "He said you were bull-headed."

"He did! Wait till I lay my hands on him again."

"There's danger in them eyes," said Dan.

"Do you know what Ziggy Young's first name is?" Anne Winter asked, ignoring his remark.

"He never would admit that he had any besides Ziggy."

"Well, it's Clemon. Whenever he makes me mad I tell on him." "You must be perfectly furious," said Dan.

"But he's dear," said Anne, "and it was awfully nice of him to ask you to look me up."

"I thought of that a long time ago. He's an ornery red-headed runt, but he's a swell guy. Do you know what I thought when I met you to-night?"

She had no idea.

"Well, I told myself I'd send Ziggy a couple of the swellest ties in Hollywood. I think I really ought to make it half a dozen."

Anne Winter laughed. "I ought to bow," she said, "but the seat doesn't permit it."

"That's one how you owe me then," said Dan. "Here we are; all out. Stick close to me in the lobby or you'll get run over by a song writer. Hollywood's full of them. Encourage 'em and they'll toddle right over and wobble their latest hit in your ear."

In the Blossom Room the lights were subdued and gay laughter floated above the steady murmur of many voices. The orchestra swung into action as they were being shown to their table, and Dan told her that it was in honour of her entrance.

"Don't you remember the time you gave up eating lunch?" she asked.

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### THROWN OUT OF BARS.

#### SALVATIONIST ON DRINK "WAR."

#### FRIENDS STILL.

While drunkenness is no longer the greatest social evil, gambling is increasing among all classes, in the opinion of Commissioner David C. Lamb, of the Salvation Army.

Commissioner Lamb told the Royal Commission on Licensing, at its last meeting at Broadway Buildings Westminster, before the adjournment until November 4, the story of the Salvation Army's campaign against what he called "the drink evil."

An attack on drink had an important part in their programme, he said. Thousands of notorious drunkards were "converted." Their officers and soldiers systematically visited thousands of public houses every week, selling the "War Cry," and telling of deliverance to the men and women in the bar rooms.

"We get thrown out here and there and are rough-handled now and again," he added, "but it is 'all in the war.'"

#### BIG IMPROVEMENT.

Commissioner Lamb added that they noticed considerable improvement compared with 30 or 40 years ago.

They had come to the conclusion that hard drinking or drunkenness was not now the greatest social evil. Gambling and betting, on the other hand, were on the increase in all walks of life.

There was increased gambling among women.

Replying to the Rev. H. Carter (a member of the Commission), Commissioner Lamb said that there was a good deal of betting in clubs.

About 50 per cent. of the clubs he investigated were associated with gambling. They went among working men's clubs.

When Lord Amulree referred to conditions existing years ago, Commissioner Lamb said that was "in darkest England," adding:

It would be a great reflection on the Salvation Army if we could not say that it is a better England to-day. It is different now. There is still a dark England, but it is better.

When Lord Amulree, the chairman, said that it had been suggested that the foreign cafe system was preferable to the English pub-house, Commissioner Lamb replied:

"Although I am a Scotsman I would rather see England English than anything else."

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**LAST SESSION OF COMMONS.****SUCCESSES AND FAILURES IN THE HOUSE.****PREMIER ASSURED.**

If a modern Gunpowder Plot blew up the three Front Benches in the House of Commons, but spared the rest; or if the electorate, made desperate by dissidents, impartially transported Socialist, Conservative and Liberal leaders alike, and Parliament lost its familiar savour overnight, wherein would it be saluted? Who would fill the vacancies and act as the new guides?

It would be a sore puzzle to the House of Commons, and one imagines that the man of destiny would have to be fetched from outside, for the Session just ended has not thrown up natural successors, within the precincts.

A few young men are mildly making a figure, but no Pitt arises, any more than there is divulged a woman with a vocation for politics.

The House of Commons remains under the dominion of an older generation, against whom the rank and life, suffer moods of impatience, but lack the ability to supplant.

Accordingly, in saying anything of the wear and tear of the Session on reputations, it is the established men who insist on dictating the picture; and one may as well begin with the three leaders.

The Prime Minister is directing his second Parliament with more assurance than his first, even though the L.L.P. contingent's contempt makes for self-consciousness each time he speaks.

Mr. Baldwin, as he confessed, has had the most trying year of his career, and yet exterior troubles have not impaired that quiet,

curious ascendancy which he holds over the Commons. The Conservative Leader makes everybody listen; Mr. Lloyd George makes everybody lively.

Mr. Lloyd George.

The vitality of Mr. Lloyd George in this House has been remarkable, and the wit and entertainment of his speeches hardly to be matched. But speeches are void without votes. His shells are simply star-shells—they shed a great incandescence but do not destroy; and mocked by the divisible lists and his incalculable followers, Mr. Lloyd George is losing confidence.

The two men who have given most colour to the Session are Mr. Snowden and Mr. Churchill. Throughout the 12 months they have always been at daggers drawing, and Mr. Churchill tore free of the scalps on the last day of the Budget debates. The ex-Chancellor, when first in Opposition, frequently showed more exultation than judgment in his attacks on the Government but has been lately both sound and devastating.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer's stock has fallen, heavily during this Parliament—with the Oppositions, because of his unbecoming fits of spite and ill-temper; with his party, because of his rigid Treasury principles and his utter desipal of the back-bench clamour for intoxicating loans, "an extended use of the national credit," and for a policy of inflation.

The strongest asset to the Cabinet has been Mr. W. Graham, President of the Board of Trade, who has not committed a single mistake of argument or of temper. Every member likes this courtly, able, loquacious little Minister, who can talk even orthodox Free Trade and keep a twinkle in his eye, and probably no one else could have got the Coal Bill as far as the Statute Book.

Another good pair for the Government are Mr. Herbert Morrison and Mr. Herbert Morrison.

(Transport) and Mr. Alexander, the First Lord.

**Question Time Vigour.**

Sir Austin Chamberlain had many critics as Foreign Secretary, but in Opposition can have none. His speeches have been vigorous yet still prudent, and Mr. Henderson, against his predecessor, appears like a rude amateur who has blundered into the Foreign Office by mistake.

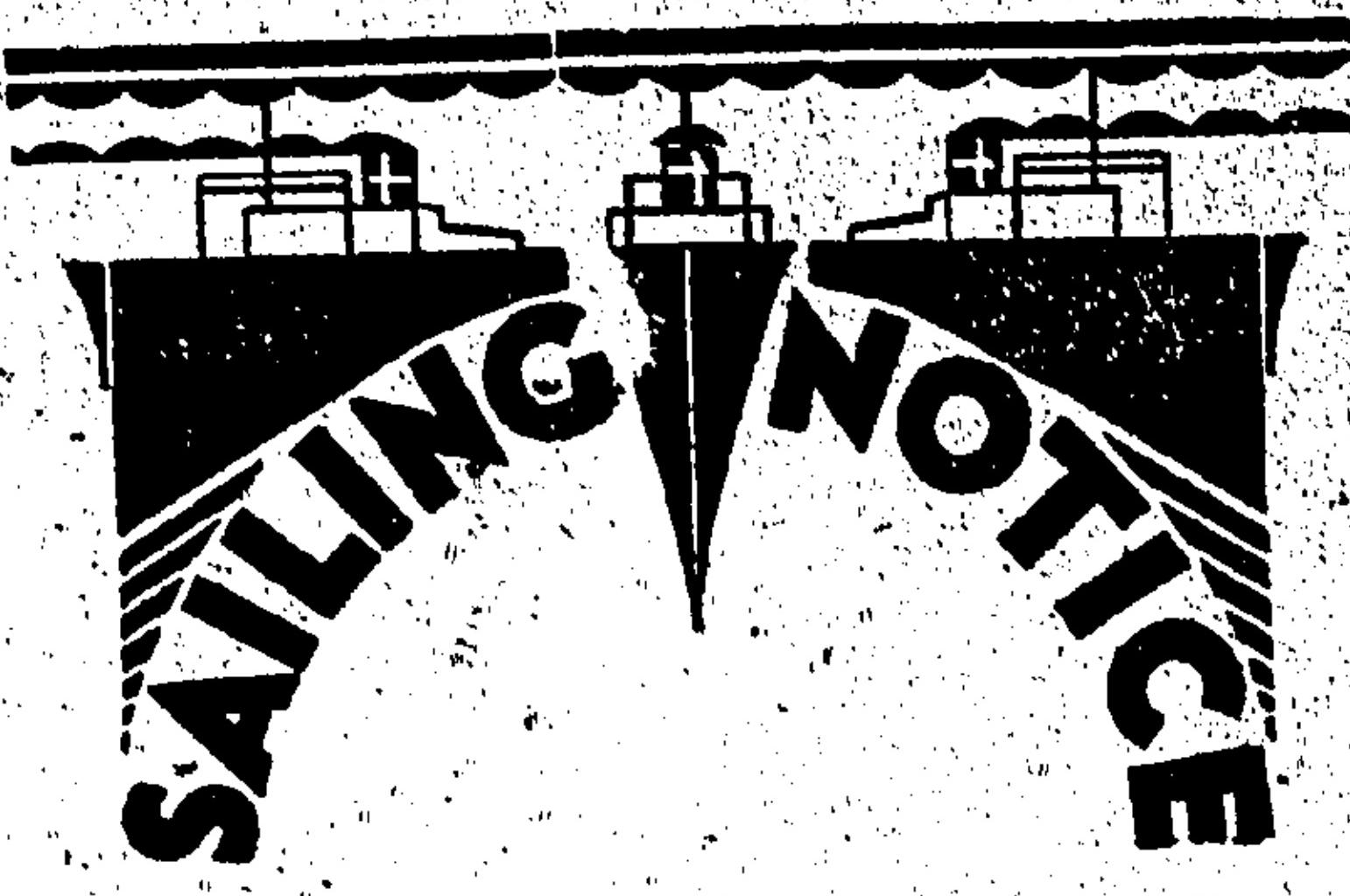
Lord Winterton and Sir Lamington Worthington-Evans are two more on the Conservative Front Bench who understand attack.

But of all ex-ministers Sir Kingsley Wood deserves most praise for his energy, his quickness, his persistence, his harrying pursuit and talent for exposing every Socialist sham and every promise unfulfilled. Bursting with the pugnacity of an autumn robin, Question Time to him is one crowded hour of glorious life.

The most interesting man on the Government back benches is Sir Oswald Mosley, whose resignation envelops him with glamour. The air of the wilderness is agreeing with him, for he is speaking now with undeniable force and has shown the condescension which formerly antagonised fellow-socialists most of any. Let those who care prophesy his future standing.

Mr. W. S. Morrison is making a mark among the younger Conservatives, since he has courage, knowledge and style; and the steady and practical Major Colville is another success. Mr. Marjoribanks made a conquest of the House too quickly and is suffering from the reaction.

The end of the Session finds the "Mountain" surrounded by thicker clouds of obloquy than ever before. Mr. Beckett and Mr. Sandham have brought the Left Wing into the abyss of disrepute; they count for nothing; they are unpopular; and now Mr. Wheatley is gone there is not a figure among them to be regarded. The Government need fear them no more.

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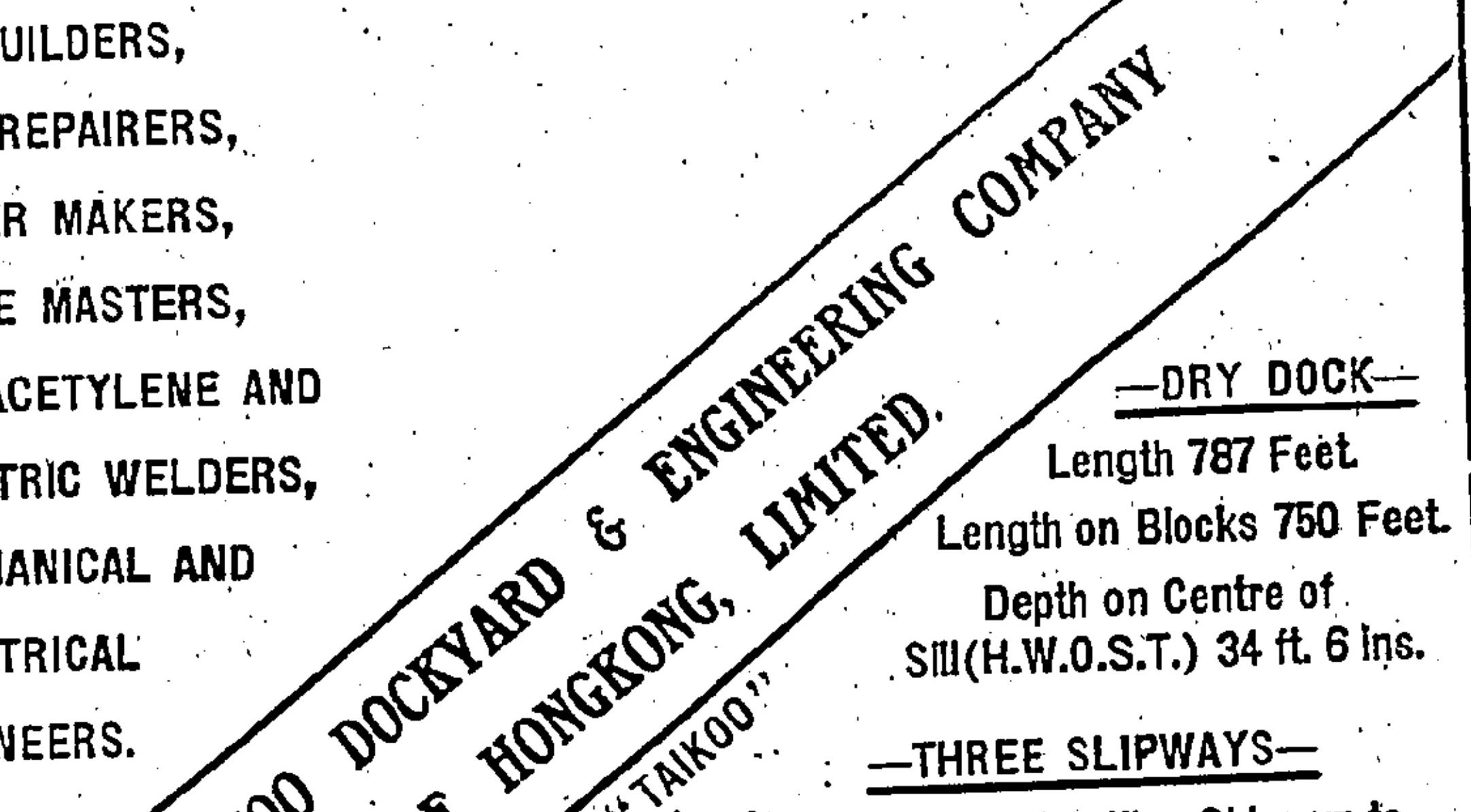
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8.00 p.m.: Chinese Studio Concert.

9.00 p.m.: Weather report.

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MR. CLYNES ON CHANCES OF ITS DAWNING.

London, Sept. 3.

"Unemployed marchers" who secured an entrance to the gallery, interrupted Mr. J. R. Clynes when he began his speech at the Trade Union Congress at Nottingham to-day. They were removed singly, resisting, amid a tumult.

Mr. Clynes said he did not know whether we would get complete socialism in our time, but we were getting socialism all the time in one degree or another. It was impossible to have socialism as a scheme of life until there were millions more socialists in the country. It could not be imposed by force from the top.

Mr. Clynes added that the Government was awaiting an opportunity to reverse the Trade Disputes Act.—Reuter.

A NEW RAY.

SAID TO BE DISCOVERED BY RUSSIAN SCIENTIST.

Moscow, Sept. 3.

The ice-breaker Sodov, which is

engaged on a scientific expedition in the Arctic, has sent a wireless message stating that a scientist on board has discovered a new ultra-violet ray.—Reuter.

EXPRESS DERAILLED.

Mishap on the CHANGCHUN-MUKDEN LINE.

Mukden, Sept. 3.

The express from Changchun to

Mukden was derailed to-day at Changtu. The locomotive crew

were killed.

The train was delayed five hours.—Reuter.

BODIES IDENTIFIED.

REMAINS OF SWEDISH EXPLORER EXAMINED.

Stockholm, Sept. 3.

Swedish experts who specially

went on board the Norwegian seal-

ing vessel which landed the two

bodies of the Andree expedition

party at Tromsoe have identified

the remains as being those of

Andree and his companion Strind-

berg.—Reuter.

ALARMIST SCARE IN ARGENTINA.

BIG POLITICAL UPHEAVAL EXPECTED.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 3.

Alarmist rumours are spreading

that Argentina is on the verge of

a political upheaval.

Senor Dellepaine, the War Minis-

ter, has resigned, and it is believ-

ed that other members of the

Cabinet will follow his example.

The Government is taking extra-

ordinary precautions. Eleven

warships are anchored in the har-

bour and a force of marines was

landed yesterday but later re-

embarked.

The Police have raided the Peo-

ples University and searched for

arms.

President Irigoyen is reported

to be ill with influenza and is con-

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